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OUTLINES.

Warehouse and 2,600 bales of cotton destroyed by fire at Albany, Ga. —— The Schley court will try to finish its work before Congress convenes. —— The cotton crop of North Carolina is estimated at 328,040 bales, against a crop of 542,000 bales last year. —— The L. & N. R. R. announce an advance of ten per cent. in wages of all mechanics in its shops at New Decatur, Ala. —— The president of the Liverpool Cotton Exchange, who has toured the cotton States, says the crop in America will be considerably less than eleven million bales. —— The fire in the Baby mine at Pocahontas, Va., is still raging. —— E. M. Ashenback is in Raleigh working up interest in an interstate baseball league. —— Next month Jeffries is to meet Sharkey in San Francisco. —— Three more bodies have been taken out of the Baby mine at Pocahontas, Va.; it is believed that the fire has been finally extinguished. —— The War Department has ordered the Twenty-seventh infantry to the Philippines. —— Experiments with electric locomotives at Berlin show a speed of a hundred miles an hour attained. —— Five prisoners escaped from the jail at Louisburg, N. C., last night. —— Anxiety is felt at Beaufort, N. C., for the safety of the government mail boat Violet. —— Large shipments of wheat to Mexico are being made. —— Bank at Greenville, Iowa., robbed by burglars but the robbers were pursued and captured. —— New York markets: Money on call firm at 3@4 per cent., the last loan at 4 per cent; cotton quiet at 8c; flour was quiet and steady; wheat—spot steady, No. 2 red 83c; corn—spot market easy, No. 2 68c; oats—spot steady, No. 2 46c; rosin steady; spirits turpentine steady at 37½@38c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 16

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 32 degrees; 8 P. M., 39 degrees; maximum, 49 degrees; minimum, 31 degrees; mean, 40 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 0.00; rainfall since 1st of the month to date, 0.57 inches.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Cold weather prevails in all sections and freezing temperatures are reported as far southward as the South Atlantic and interior of the Gulf States. Light frosts occurred at Tampa, El Paso, Hatteras and Taylor, heavy frosts at Jacksonville, Savannah, Palestine, Mobile, and Abilene, and killing frosts at Wilmington, Augusta, Charleston, Montgomery and Vicksburg. Snow, mostly light, has fallen in the lake region and Ohio valley; in the remaining sections from the Rocky Mountains eastward to the coast the weather is generally fair. Heavy frosts are again indicated for this section.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—For North Carolina: Fair, continued cold Sunday and Monday; light northerly winds.

Port Almanac--November 17.

Sun Rises	6 38 A. M.
Sun Sets	4.51 P. M.
Day's Length	10 13 M.
High Water at Southport	11 87 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	2 07 A. M.

There were at the close of the fiscal year 1900 76,688 postoffices in this country, which means one or more stamp-lickers to every 1,000 of inhabitants.

Mr. Santos-Dumont, the sky-navigator, worked hard for that $20,000 Deutsch prize, and when he got it he distributed it amongst the poor of Paris.

Artificial silk is now being manufactured in Germany from chemically prepared cotton which it takes an expert to tell from the genuine article put up by the silk worm.

The latest sensation in Boston is Mr. Hassen Ali, a gentleman from Egypt, who measures 8 feet and 2 inches in height and wears shoes 26 inches long. How is that for shoes?

The new Guathman gun, recently tested at Fisher's Island, is 45 feet long, and will throw a projectile containing 200 pounds of nitrogelatine three miles, and would tear a ship all to pieces at that distance.

Mr. Morgan has been doing some more railroad combining. His latest is a new deal taking in all the roads crossing the continent, with other leading lines, making an aggregate of 43,372 miles, representing a joint capital of $1,042,837,186.

The Belgians are also doing some "benevolent assimilating" in Africa. There have been some differences of opinion between them and the natives in the Congo country. The Belgians are after rubber and also the natives, one expedition killing 900 natives while another killed 300 in three weeks.

For LaGrippe and Influenza use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

For sale by Hardin's Palace Pharmacy.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Capt. J. L. Autry, of Autreyaville, N. C., was here yesterday.

— Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Tinsman, of Williamsport, Pa., arrived yesterday on a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Dr. R. T. S. Steele.

— Miss May Brown, who has been a guest at the home of Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy, on Market street, has returned to her home at Baltimore.

— Ex-Judge H. G. Connor, of Wilson, was here yesterday on professional business as attorney for Hugh MacRae & Co., in the Street Railway purchase.

— Mr. and Mrs. Pembroke Jones, have arrived at their handsome country home, "Airlie" on the Sound and will spend some time at that delightful retreat.

— Judge George L. Christian, of Richmond, who addressed the convention of Daughters of the Confederacy Friday night, returned home yesterday. He was a guest while in the city at the home of Mr. S. P. Collier.

— The hosts of friends of Dr. W. T. Smith, who has been very sick the past six weeks with typhoid fever, will be glad to know that he is out again and will be able to resume his work in his dental office, at 116 Market street, this week.

THE OPERA HOUSE OPPERINGS.

Two Notable Fogagements On Tapis for the Near Future in Wilmington.

Mr. John Allison, who is remembered for his artistic portrayal of *Jones* in "What Happened to Jones," will be at the head of "The Wrong Mr. Wright," which plays at the Opera House next Saturday. "The Wrong Mr. Wright" is by far the funniest farce from George H. Broadhurst's pen. The piece has an abundance of clean comedy, clever people and superb scenery. "The Wrong Mr. Wright" was played with great success by the late Roland Reed and was the best play in which he ever appeared.

The stage Hebrew is invariably of the lowest and exaggerated type, but the author of "The Gay Mr. Goldstein" has written a play that, while retaining all the keenest and humorous elements suggested by the former, he is dressed in the garb of a refined atmosphere. For this interpretation Manager Greenwall has selected a company from the most finished artists, headed by the three stars—Mary Hampton, Thos. J. Keogh and George C. Boniface, Jr.

The attraction comes to the Opera House to-morrow night week.

WILL LAY CORNER STONE.

Odd Fellows of Southport Preparing Elaborate Celebration for Thanksgiving.

Thanksgiving Day at Southport will be of more than usual interest this year, and especially interesting to members of the Odd Fellow fraternity, from the fact that on that day Atlantic Lodge No. 43, of Southport, will lay the corner stone for a handsome building, which is being erected there for the use of the order. The ceremonies attendant upon the laying of the stone will be of an interesting nature, and the ladies of Southport will serve a lunch for the benefit of visitors.

A large deputation of Wilmington Odd Fellows will attend the exercises, and for the benefit of those and others who wish to go down on that day Capt. Harper will run an excursion on the steamer *Wilmington*, leaving the city at 9:45 A. M., and returning, leave Southport at 3:30 P. M.

NEW Y. M. C. A. OFFICERS.

Nominating Committee Have Presented Them to Directors—Other Notes.

At a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A. Friday night, the committee named for that purpose presented the following nominations of new officers for the ensuing year, which were unanimously adopted:

President—J. O. Carr, Esq.

Vice President—Dr. W. C. Galloway.

Secretary—Capt. J. P. Russell.

Messrs. D. L. Gore and E. S. Lathrop were elected to fill vacancies on the Board of Directors.

Reports from standing committees were read, showing the Association in a most flourishing condition.

After the meeting the directors were guests of the Woman's Auxiliary at a delightful supper, which was greatly enjoyed.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

N. F. Parker—For the holidays.
Str. Wilmington—For Southport.
J. H. Rehder & Co.—Keep warm.
W. B. Cooper—Gilt edge butter.
Masonic—Meeting Concord Chapter.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Notice—Big returns.
W. W. Koch—Wood.
Board—For gentlemen.
A. T. Morris—Wanted.
Gas Radiator—Bed-room.
Cape Fear Camp—Meeting.
P. H. Hayden—For thirty days.

Polvogt Company have their Bargain Week this week. See them for Bargains. †

Bargains in every department at Polvogt's this week. †

Bargain sales week at Polvogt's. †

RALEIGH NEWS ITEMS.

An Interstate Baseball League—Sons of the Revolution—Blackwell Durham Tobacco Company.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 16.—E. M. Ashenback is here working up interest in the interstate baseball league the coming season, to include Raleigh, Wilmington, Charlotte, Columbia, Spartanburg, Chester, Augusta and Savannah. He says he is confident of success and will visit all the towns as rapidly as possible and arrange a general meeting of representatives of teams at an early date.

The North Carolina Society, Sons of the Revolution, met to-day and elected Dr. F. M. Clark, Beaufort, Palmer Cobb, Chapel Hill, and Albert H. Brown, Colorado Springs, members of the Society. The Society passed a resolution requesting of J. O. Carr, of Wilmington, a copy of the "Dickson letters" in his possession.

Judge Simonton issued an order to-day dismissing the receiver, Percival S. Hill, of the Blackwell Durham Tobacco Company, when he shall have divided pro rata among stockholders the balance of $32,225, in closing out the property.

The State University beat the A. and M. College in a foot ball game to-day; score, 30 to 0. The contest was slow and featureless.

DEED TO STREET RAILWAY CO.

Filed Yesterday for Record at the Court House in Pursuance of Decree.

Thomas W. Davis, special master in equity in the case of the Morton Trust Company versus the Wilmington Street Railway, yesterday executed a deed conveying to Charles P. Bolles, Jr., Hugh MacRae, William W. Randolph and Minor F. H. Gouverneur, directors of the Wilmington Seacoast Railroad, the property of the defendant company in the aforesaid action as bid in recently at the sale authorized in the Circuit Court. The consideration, it will be remembered, was $101,500. The deed covers the entire property of the Street Railway Company and stipulates that the purchaser, Charles P. Bolles, Jr., has fully complied with all the provisions of the decree confirming the sale.

The document bears $49.50 worth of internal revenue stamps and was signed and delivered in presence of Junius Davis and H. G. Connor, Esqs.

SEVENGALA, THE HYPNOTIST.

Coming for a Five Nights' Engagement, Beginning Monday.

Sevengala and his company will come to the Opera House Monday night for an engagement. The Newburg, N. Y., *Journal* says:

A large audience witnessed the opening performance by the Sevengalas at the Academy last evening. The performance is given in two parts, the first part "Hypnotic," second part, "Telepathic." The first part is advertised for laughing purposes only, and those that went to the Academy last night to laugh, certainly received their money's worth.

Seats are now on sale at Gerken's. Prices are 10, 20 and 30 cents. Ladies free on Monday night when accompanied by a person holding a paid 30 cents ticket.

L'ARIOSO GERMAN CLUB.

Presidential Vacancy Filled and Other Elections Made—November Dance.

At a meeting last night of the governing board of L'Arioso German Club Capt. E. W. VanC. Lucas was elected president to succeed Capt. Donald MacRae, resigned. Mr. Geo. D. Crow was chosen a member of the governing board. Patronesses were selected for the season as follows: Mesdames Clayton Giles, Geo. W. Kidder, Pembroke Jones, W. A. Dick, Gabriel Holmes, Thos. M. Emerson, Donald MacRae, Jno. D. Bellamy, Geo. Rountree, P. L. Bridgers, J. V. Grainger and M. F. H. Gouverneur.

The November dance will be given on the night of Tuesday, November 26th.

In New York City.

The STAR notes with pleasure that Dr. Harry Honnett, a native of this city, has been complimented by an appointment as assistant clinical surgeon and instructor in eye diseases at Cornell University in the city of New York. Dr. Honnett's office for the practice of his profession is at No. 20, West Ninety-Fourth street. He is an earnest worker and the STAR wishes him success.

Back From Tennessee.

Mr. Will. L. Miller, the enterprising manager in Wilmington for the Acme Tea Chest Company, of Glasgow, Scotland, has just returned from an extended visit to his daughters at Memphis, Tenn., and Helena, Ark. Mr. Miller has just received an order for a rush shipment of timber via Newport News, and expects to forward two cargoes by steamer from Wilmington in the near future.

Osteopathy.

We take pleasure in announcing that our Infirmary is now open and fully equipped for the treatment of patients. All forms of diseases successfully treated without the use of Antitoxine, Drugs or Surgical operation. No charge for examination and consultation. Office hours 8:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M. Other hours by special arrangement. Willard Infirmary of Osteopathy, 515 Princess street, between Fifth and Sixth. †

Yard-wide Taffetta Silk $1.25 at Polvogt's this week. †

CLOSE OF THE CONVENTION.

Daughters of Confederacy Adjourned Eighth Annual Meeting Last Night.

Officers Elected for Ensuing Year—Cordial Invitation From New Orleans Accepted for Next Gathering—Emblems and Mottoes Adopted—The Proceedings in Detail—A Special Train Yesterday Afternoon Via Atlanta.

The eighth annual Convention, United Daughters of the Confederacy, which has been in session in this city since Wednesday came to a close last midnight after continuous session during the day lasting from 9:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M. and from 9 until 12 o'clock last night. Much business was necessarily crowded into the closing day's sessions of the convention, the prominent items being an election of officers for the ensuing year and the choosing of a place for the next convention.

The assembly was called to order yesterday morning by Mrs. Weed, the president.

The first committee to report was that to determine the controversy between Mrs. M. C. Goodlette, of New York, and Mrs. Gaines, of Alabama, as to which of the two was entitled to the honor of being the founder of the U. D. C. Mrs. Virginia McSherry, as chairman of the committee, presented a majority report in favor of Mrs. Goodlette, Mrs. J. W. Tench, of Florida, a member of the decision committee, brought in a minority report in favor of Mrs. Gaines. Upon motion of Mrs. Rounsaville, of Georgia, the majority report was accepted with the minority report attached.

The report of the Custodian of the Crosses of Honor was next submitted and upon motion of Mrs. Stone, of Texas, it was decided to present crosses to veterans only on the birthdays of Jefferson and Lee and on Memorial Day.

Mrs. W. H. Overman, of North Carolina, chairman of the committee on an official organ for the U. D. C., asked that the committee be continued. It was suggested that the convention settle the question and the merits of the *Lost Cause*, of Louisville, Ky., and the *Confederate Veteran*, of Nashville, Tenn., were presented. It was at length decided that for the ensuing year at least, there was no cause to change from the *Veteran* and that publication was adopted by the convention.

The Emblem, Motto and Flower Committee reported through Mrs. J. E. Cantrill, of Kentucky. A five pointed star was determined upon as an emblem and the motto was decided upon as "Think, Love, Pray, Dare and Live," each of the words to occupy a place at one of the points of the star. In explanation of their selection. Mrs. Cantrill said: "To act without thought is folly; to act without love is unholy; to act without prayer is not religious; all thought, all love, all prayer without execution is ineffective or cowardly; to live in flesh or in memory." The report was unanimously adopted.

The cotton plant was decided upon as the official flower and the report of the committee was adopted with thanks.

At this juncture Mrs. W. M. Parsley presented Mrs. Stonewall Jackson, who wished to bid the convention farewell. She was led to the front of the stage and on account of her hoarseness, she said through Mrs. Weed, the president, that she had enjoyed being one of the convention during the week and hoped that the following year would be one of prosperity and pleasure for the U. D. C. Upon motion it was made the duty of Stonewall Jackson Chapter, of Charlotte, to see that "the mother of the Confederacy" should be at the Louisiana convention next year.

Mrs. Taylor Ellyson, of Richmond, in the name of the Confederated Memorial and Literary Society, thanked divisions for the care of their respective rooms in the Museum at Richmond.

Mrs. Cantrell, of Kentucky, moved a suspension of the rules and the entry upon the election of officers, which motion was unanimously carried. In the meantime reports of the Historical and Memorial committees were continued until next convention.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. J. A. Rounsaville, of Rome, Ga.

First Vice President—Mrs. Mollie M. McGill Rosenberg, of Galveston, Tex.

Second Vice President—Mrs. T. J. Latham, of Memphis, Tenn.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. J. P. Hickman, of Nashville, Tenn.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Virginia F. McSherry, of West Virginia.

Treasurer—Mrs. James Leigh, of Norfolk, Va.

Custodian of the "Crosses of Honor"—Mrs. S. E. Gabbitt, of Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Rounsaville was nominated for the presidency by Mrs. W. W. Read, of New York, and her election was by acclamation after numerous seconds. Mrs. Rosenberg's choice for the first vice presidency was upon nominations of Miss Dunnovant, of Texas, and Mrs. McSherry, of West Virginia, and was likewise by acclamation. Mrs. Basil Duke, of Kentucky, and Mrs. Norman V. Randolph, of Richmond, Va., were requested by the president to escort Mrs. Rounsaville to the platform, which they did, Mrs. Rounsaville responding in a happy speech thanking the convention for the honor. Mrs. Weed, in presenting her, stated that she had come with the approval of her State, and the love and devotion of her chapter. She has love and kindness in her heart and when the end of her term has come "we shall all rise up and call her blessed."

Mrs. Rosenberg, the newly elected first vice president, was escorted to the rostrum by Mrs. J. J. Latham, of Tennessee and Mrs. Cooley, of Florida. She responded to her election in a graceful manner and was given much applause.

Mrs. Pinckney Smith, of Louisiana, nominated Mrs. Latham for the second vice-presidency and Mrs. Latham in turn nominated Mrs. Anne Washington Rapley, of Missouri. The latter nomination was seconded by North Carolina and then came the first contest of the election. The roll of States was called and Mrs. Latham's election was declared. Florida proposed it be made unanimous and the convention did so by a rising vote. Mrs. Smith, of New Orleans, and Mrs. Cooley, of Florida, escorted her to the stand, and she introduced herself as the "dark horse," and proceeded with a speech of thanks sparkling with wit and humor, which convulsed the convention at times with laughter. She concluded by saying: "And now the 'dark horse' will take her seat." For recording secretary, Mrs. Cooley, of Florida, nominated Mrs. W. H. Overman, of North Carolina, who protested bitterly. Mrs. Cone Johnson, of Texas, nominated the present incumbent, Mrs. Hickman, seconded by Mrs. Overman. She was the choice of the convention in a vote of 504 to 368. Immediately upon her election Mrs. Hickman resigned, but the convention refused to accept the resignation, whereupon she finally consented to serve. The vote was by standing and resulted 45 to 42.

Mesdames Stone, of Texas, and Merchant, of Virginia, nominated Mrs. McSherry, for corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Overman nominated Mrs. Cooley, of Florida. Mrs. Cooley declined the nomination and asked her friends to support Mrs. McSherry.

Mrs. Randolph, of Richmond, nominated Mrs. Thomas, of Atlanta, for re-election to the office of treasurer, but she declined. Mrs. McSherry nominated Mrs. Leigh, and the vote was finally made unanimous. For the same office, Missouri nominated Mrs John M. Phillips, of the same State.

Mrs. Stone, of Texas, nominated Mrs. S. E. Gabbrill, of Atlanta, as custodian of the "Crosses of Honor," and her choice was unanimous upon motion of Mrs. Johnson, of Texas. Mrs. Gabbrill was allowed a secretary at a salary of $100 for services, and the same amount was allowed the custodian.

When the election of officers had been completed Mrs. Overman, of North Carolina, asked that Mrs. Stonewall Jackson be made one of the honorary presidents with Mrs. Goodlette for life and a motion to that effect was carried amid much enthusiasm.

Resolutions were adopted during the evening, thanking the retiring officers for their devoted services. Practically all of them had a silent understanding with the convention that they would not stand for re-election.

Upon motion of Mrs. Latham a neat resolution of most gracious thanks was tendered the convention to Wilmington and the various organizations that contributed to their pleasure during the convention sessions, among those named being the Y. M. C. A., Cape Fear Chapter, Carolina Yacht Club, Colonial Dames, the railroads, Capt. Harper of the steamer *Wilmington*, Wilmington Light Infantry, Veterans and the press of the city.

Upon motion of Mrs. McCullough, of Virginia, $500 was appropriated out of the funds of the U. D. C. for the Jefferson Davis Monument, the same payable after Feb. 1st, 1902.

Upon motion of Mrs. Randolph, of Richmond, a resolution was adopted having for its purpose a correction of the evil of the indiscriminate conferring by veteran camps of titles upon persons, thereby deprecating those titles which have been won in battle. Another resolution by the same author and liberally endorsed was adopted which requests veteran camps to restrict the appointment of more than two sponsors or maids of honor to attend reunions and asking that these be selected from the U. D. C. or other accredited Confederate organizations. The secretary was instructed to convey the action of the convention to Gen John B. Gordon. Mrs. Cone Johnson, of Texas, read a report from the Army of Tennessee, asking for a correction of these evils just acted upon.

Mrs. Tench, of Florida, returned thanks to the chapters for donations during the recent severe conflagration by fire in that city and sympathy of the convention was extended. It was also permitted that Crosses of Honor destroyed in that fire be restored to veterans where there was proof of actual loss. Mrs. Gaston Meares, of Wilmington, and others made a plea for the restoration of all crosses where they had been lost by accident, but a motion by Mrs. Merchant, of Virginia, prevailed to the effect that crosses are to be restored only to veterans who lost them in Jacksonville. It would be a dangerous precedent, the convention decided, to have those lost by mere accident replaced.

Upon the suggestion of Mrs. Stone, of Texas, and motion by Mrs. Thomas, of Atlanta, Miss Julia Lee, a niece of Mrs. Randolph, was made custodian of the memorial flag presented on the opening day of the convention by Mrs. Rosenberg, of Texas, and it was ordered kept in the Texas room of the Confederate Museum, of Richmond, and taken to all conventions. Mrs. Smith of Louisiana, offered a place for it in the Memorial Hall in New Orleans.

Mrs. Smith made an appeal for the same railroad rates to the U. D. C. conventions that were given for veteran re-unions, and the matter was referred to the Transportation Committee with instruction to present the matter to the Southern States Passenger Association, of Atlanta.

Missouri sent a cordial invitation to have the convention meet in 1903 in St. Louis upon the occasion of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, and the same was accepted with thanks.

Mrs. J. Pinckney Smith, of Louisiana, read a cordial invitation from New Orleans to have the convention meet in that city in 1902, and the same was accepted. The invitation was presented on a copper plate splendidly engraved, neatly framed and bearing the signatures of the Governor of the State, Mayor of the city and other prominent personages. The invitation is a work of art and was ordered placed in the Confederate Museum.

Mrs. McSherry extended an invitation for Wheeling, W. Va., but Mrs. Smith's invitation had been previously accepted.

Amendments to the constitution were then proposed, and a lengthy discussion ensued, but only one of the amendments—that more fully defining the duties of the secretary—was adopted. One of the amendments was by Mrs. Parsley, of Wilmington, which was designed to facilitate the work of the Credential Committee and obviate prolonged discussion in this regard, as was noted here upon the opening of the convention.

The convention adjourned at 5:30 o'clock, having been in continuous session since 9:30 A. M. Many of the delegates left on a special train via the S. A. L. for Atlanta at 5:30 o'clock.

Night Session of the Convention.

Many of the officers and delegates were still in the city, and it was decided to hold a night session, which continued until 12 o'clock, the convention at that hour formally adjourning by singing the doxology.

Mrs. Weed called the session to order at 8:30 o'clock and much time was consumed in reading the minutes of the day meeting.

The president read cordial greetings from R. B. Haughton, of St. Louis, Commander-in chief of the United Sons of Veterans. A loving tribute was paid to the Daughters and the President was instructed to most graciously acknowledge the greetings through the corresponding secretary.

Upon motion of Mrs. Randolph, it was determined in the future to entirely devote the first and second days of future conventions to business.

Mrs. T. M. Worcester, of Cincinnati, Ohio, read a beautiful letter from Miss Florence Tucker Winder, formerly of Raleigh, N. C., but now president of R. E. Lee Chapter, U. D. C., of Columbus. The letter contained beautiful sentiment and was dramatically read with splendid effect by Mrs. Worcester. A report was likewise read from Ohio giving data concerning a Confederate cemetery near Columbus, where 2,000 unknown dead are buried. It was shown that Col. Norse, of Columbus, has been caring for these graves and a rising vote of appreciation was accorded him by the Daughters and also to Miss Winder for the tender sentiment expressed in her letter. R. E. Lee chapters of Alabama and Virginia asked to be permitted to send individual greetings.

Mrs. Randolph made a motion which prevailed, to the effect that Southern representatives in Congress and in the Senate be urged to use their best endeavor to grant the Daughters privilege of moving the graves of their unknown dead and of bringing them home to the Southland from National cemeteries when it was desired. The motion was adopted and a committee appointed to confer with the Confederate Memorial Association in this regard.

Mrs. Cooley offered several amendments to the by-laws, aimed at facilitating work of conventions, some of which were adopted and some were not.

Master Frank Shepard, of Wilmington, was again introduced to the convention and he asked the honor of presenting to the newly elected president a photograph of the White House of the Confederacy at Montgomery, Ala., and a copy of the last public letter written by Mr. Jefferson Davis to the Fayetteville Chamber of Commerce. The gift was gracefully acknowledged by Mrs. Rounsaville and Master Shepard was given the vote of the convention for his gallant attention during the convention's sessions.

The hour of midnight came on and Mrs. Weed, the president, stated that it did not become the convention to remain in session until Sunday and as there was no time for an approval of the minutes, this duty was delegated to Mrs. Wm. M. Parsley and two members of Cape Fear Chapter.

Shortly after the midnight hour the convention came to an end by the singing of the doxology.

Mrs. Rounsaville, the New President.

"There is probably no member of the Daughters of the Confederacy better or more favorably known than Mrs. Jas. A. Rounsaville, the newly elected president of the U. D. C. As president of the Georgia Division of the U. D. C. from 1897 to the present time, she has accomplished an immense amount of good, the number of chapters growing from twenty two to fifty three, until Georgia now has the largest number of chapters and members of any State, except Texas. She has been a delegate to all the national U. D. C. meetings, where her reports have been among the best made. She has served as chairman of various important committees.

"Her graceful, charming manner and intelligence always command for her most respectful and close attention to anything she has to say.

"She is a fine presiding officer, a ready parliamentarian, quick to perceive, firm, gracious, patient and kind. She took a very active part in saving and opening the Home to the Confederate Veterans in Georgia. She was instrumental also in establishing a Winnie Davis Dormitory for descendants of Confederate Veterans, which developed into an annex to the State Normal School at Athens, with manual and industrial training added.

"She has taken a very active interest in the organizing of Children of the Confederacy. She is a practical, thoroughgoing, intelligent worker and reflects great honor upon the State which so proudly claims her."

Rev. Mr. Dickinson Here.

Rev. Wm. Francis Dickinson, of New York, who will conduct divine services to-day at St. Paul's Episcopal church, arrived in the city yesterday and is at the home of Mrs. VonGlahn, Fifth and Princess streets. The STAR learns that Mr. Dickinson has not yet been called to the rectorship of St. Paul's parish, though there is a strong probability that he may be called later.

The Dixie Cafe.

"The Dixie Cafe," Mr. S. F. Harman proprietor, was opened last night next door to the Mercer & Evans Company's store on Princess street. Mr. Harman proposes to conduct the new place along up to-date ideas and will furnish his tables daily and nightly with the very best the market affords. He has competent assistants, good cooks, and will no doubt receive the patronage that a cafe of this character merits.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Concord Chapter No. 1, R. A. M., will hold its regular convocation to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock.

— The Bostock annual shows are now being unloaded at Charlestou for the Exposition, which begins December 1st.

— The regular monthly meeting of Cape Fear Camp No. 254, U. C. V., will be held to-morrow night at the W. L. I. armory.

— As the STAR employs no travelling agents, bills are sent direct to subscribers. These bills should receive prompt attention.

— The service at Grace Church to-night will be especially appropriate to the inauguration of the "week of prayer" at the Y. M. C. A. All young men are cordially invited.

— Winnie Williams, colored, aged about 30 years, was sent to the hospital by the police last night on account of severe wounds inflicted by a colored man, who assaulted her with a knife. The fray took place at Second and Harnett streets, but the woman's condition is not regarded as serious.

50c Dress Goods 19c at Polvogt's this week. It's their Bargain Week. †

35c Dress Goods 10c this week at Polvogts. †

85c Liberty Satin, this week 63c, at Polvogt's. It is their Bargain Week. †

Spend your cash at Polvogt's this week. Bargain Week. †

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Concord Chapter No. 1, R. A. M.

COMPANIONS—The regular Convocation will be held Monday evening 8 o'clock.
Visiting brethren cordially invited.
nov 15 1t W. A. MARTIN, Secretary.

Special Trip to Southport.

On account of the laying of the corner stone for the Odd Fellow building at Southport the Steamer Wilmington will make a special trip to that city on Thanksgiving Day, November 28th, leaving Wilmington at 9:45 A. M., and returning leave Southport at 3:30 P. M.
nov 16 1t J. W. HARPER.

For the Holidays!

I have the largest and most complete line of Furniture and Furniture Novelties ever put on the market in North Carolina, and to be convinced of the truth of the above expression call and look over my stock.

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1,040 Pounds G. E. Butter, 30-pound Pails.
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4,180 Nickle C. C. Nuts.
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City and country orders appreciated.

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OFFICE OF THE
Local Board of Fire Underwriters,
WILMINGTON, N. C.,
November 12th, 1901.

To the Insuring Public:

At a meeting of the Local Board of Fire Underwriters, this morning, the Secretary was instructed to call the attention of the Insuring Public that the use of any Gasoline Vapor Lamp is strictly prohibited without written permission; and that permits for the use of Approved Lamps will only be granted upon the additional charge of 25c per $100 for one lamp and 10c additional charge for each additional lamp permitted; same to apply to both buildings and contents. Yours respectfully,
S. M. BOATWRIGHT,
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California and Seckel Pears.
Malaga and Catawba GRAPES.
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13c Per Quart.
Florida and Jamaica Oranges.
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5 NIGHTS OF FUN!
Beginning Monday, November 18.
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The reigning New York Novelty Success,
THE SEVENGALAS.
Prof. W. and Mlle Minerva in their astonishing novelty, Le Transmission by Telepathy.
Prices—10, 20 and 30 cents.
Reserved seats on sale at Gerken's.
This coupon accompanied by one 30 cent ticket will admit one lady free to reserved seat Monday night. nov 15 3t

Office of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 13, 1901.

The regular Annual meeting of the stockholders of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, in Richmond, Va., on Monday, the 18th day of November, A. D. 1901, at 12 o'clock M.
JAMES F. POST,
nov 13 3t Secretary.

The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, NOV. 17.

THE BLACK CAT IN ITS CLUTCHES.

There is more or less speculation as to what President Roosevelt will say in his message to Congress on the question of trusts and the revision of the tariff on trust-controlled articles. Taking his Minneapolis speech as a pointer and his repeated declarations that he would carry out the policies of his predecessor, it might be taken for granted that he would recommend restrictive legislation and tariff reduction as one of the means which in itself would act a restrictive. Acting on this assumption the representatives of the trusts and of other protected manufacturers have called upon the President to urge him not to recommend tariff revision in any form, the trusts knowing full well that if the tariff stand as it is they would continue to have the game in their own hands.

Mr. Schwab, president of the steel trust, was among the first to call on him and give his views on trust business. Mr. Schwab knows his business and, of course, put up a good story for trusts in general, and for his trust in particular.

Shortly after that he was called on by Congressman Payne, chairman of the House ways and means committee, with another of the committee, both of whom took strong grounds against any revision of the tariff. Mr. Payne arguing that we are doing splendidly and that it would be dangerous and perhaps disastrous to try any experiments with the tariff now.

The next to call was Senator Quay, one of the gentlemen who led in the movement to nominate Mr. Roosevelt for the Vice Presidency and fought Hanna until he surrendered and consented to Roosevelt's nomination. The presumption is that Mr. Quay would have some claims on Mr. Roosevelt. He called to advise him to let the trusts alone. What effect all this is going to have remains to be seen.

But the trusts are not content to leave this matter to their representatives, and are themselves taking a part in the discussion, assuming that their views will command attention. They are declaring against tariff revision and any reciprocity based on that, which may be a mistaken course for them to pursue, as it may arouse antagonism in quarters which were before friendly. The Washington *Star* is a Republican paper, a protectionist, but conservative. Referring to the efforts to elicit the views of the President in advance of his message, and to bring pressure to bear to bring his views into accord with their views, it says:

"The President continues to receive a good many suggestions on the subject of reciprocity. They come from men in office and men out of office; from individuals and from delegations; from enthusiastic advocates of the policy and from those who while talking reciprocity dwell so earnestly on the difficulties they see in the way as to raise the question of whether their real object is not to put a drag on the wheel of the coach. But all alike are greeted cordially by the President, and encouraged to speak out freely.

"It is reported of a delegation that called at the White House yesterday that the members, while the subject of reciprocity was up, studied the President's face and examined his words with great care for a sign pointing to his attitude in the premises. They made no discovery. The President was not born yesterday. He will consult his own wishes about declaring himself, and if he chooses to take the country into his confidence through the medium of Congress he will but follow a time-honored precedent, not to mention a certain constitutional requirement. The question of the moment relates not so much as to whether the paragraph of the President's message to Congress dealing with the tariff is now written, and as written will stand, as to what the message will contain when, in the regular order, it is permitted to see light. And, of course, we shall all have to wait for that.

"But the most interesting, and upon the whole the most suggestive, piece of news in this morning's papers is the following from Philadelphia:

"The American Iron and Steel Association has officially notified Theodore C. Search, chairman of the committee of arrangements for the coming reciprocity convention at Washington, that it will not be represented, and its management asserts that every subsidiary organization in those trades has taken similar action. This is taken as meaning that the steel and iron men are generally opposed to reciprocity.

"At the headquarters of the Iron and Steel Association it was announced to-day that all in the trade were strongly opposed to having any subject brought before the coming Congress that will in any way affect the present tariff laws."

"This is one industry which has grown so strong under the fostering care of protection that it not only controls the home market but is doing a thriving business against stiff competition in foreign markets. But, strange to relate, it exacts a higher price for its goods in the United States than abroad. That is to say, the people of this country, who have built up this industry to giant proportions in order that it might compete successfully with the foreignor for business, now find themselves paying a penalty to their creature as a return for their benefaction. Its scale of prices gives the foreigner a material preference over them.

"Of course the American Iron and Steel Association objects to any change in its arrangements. With a black cat in its clutches, it purposes to skin it to the tail. But what says the black cat? The American people are cast for that interesting role in the association's drama, and they ought to be able to keep their own hide on."

The Steel Trust does not intend to participate in any meeting of manufacturers whose object is to discuss reciprocity based on tariff revision. The trust doesn't want any reduction of the tariff on steel manufactures because that would compel it to come down in the prices charged their home customers, although it is not apparent where they would suffer from foreign competition if the tariff were entirely removed, because it not only claims but boasts that it can make steel articles more cheaply than its European competitors can, which must be so, for if it were not so it could not ship its manufactures to foreign markets in competition with European steel makers. While the lowering of the duties cannot, as we have said, affect the trust in foreign markets, it might and doubtless would affect it in the home market, for as it gauges its prices somewhat by the tariff duties it would be compelled to come down and that would give the American consumer the benefit of the reduction and yet leave the Steel Trust reasonable margin for profit, for it can surely sell as cheaply in this country as abroad, and it sells abroad at from thirty to fifty per cent. less than it does at home.

For our part we hope the Steel Trust and the other trusts will come boldly to the front, take the aggressive and show their hands plainly on the reciprocity and tariff revision question, for the more they do that the better the people and honest Congressmen, who are in sympathy with the people and not owned by trusts, will understand what they have to contend against, and fully comprehend the issue and situation. It will then become not so much a question of party as a question as to whether the trusts shall dictate and the people be regarded as of no consequence. That is the sentiment that pervades the article which we clip from our Washington contemporary, which, as we have remarked, is a protection paper, and that is the view that Congressman Babcock, of Wisconsin, and others who have agreed with him on tariff revision, take of it. He is now in Washington. When asked if he intended to push his bill for the removal of the duties from trust controlled articles, he replied:

"I shall urge the passage of this bill from the opening of Congress. It will in no case affect the revenues. At present, because of the duty, no foreign made structural or building steel is sent to the United States. With the duty to support them, domestic manufacturers make their own price.

"The object of my bill is to compel those who now control the market to sell their product for no more than the importer's price. They now sell steel abroad at a lower price than here. President Schwab admitted this to the Industrial Commission. The bill will have no effect upon labor. I believe the bill will be passed by Congress."

Mr. Babcock's wish is probably father to the thought when he says he believes his bill will pass Congress. The only chance of its passing will be in the trusts making not an underhand but an open fight against it, and thus making the issue direct between the people and them, and putting the Congressmen on their metal. It will be an interesting fight whatever the result may be, when the "black cat" and the trusts grapple.

WHERE THE PENSIONS GO.

The pension system of this country is a puzzler that even the penetrating person finds more than a match. The Philadelphia *Record* calls attention to what it considers some "curious figures" in the following:

"The Pension Commissioner's report is full of suggestive information. It shows that notwithstanding the morality which has swept from the list of pensioners over 40,000 names, the list still grows. There were 4,206 more pensioners at the end of the last fiscal year than at the beginning. The table giving the number and location of pensioners and the amount of pensions paid in each of the several States shows some strange disparities. Indiana has fewer pensioners by 3,500 than Illinois, yet the payment to Indiana pensioners are $333,893 per year greater than to those of Illinois. The number of pensioners in New York is 88,794; pensions paid, $11,931,176. The number of pensioners in Pennsylvania is 104,345; payments, $13,378,371. This is a remarkable discrepancy; but that between Pennsylvania and Ohio is still more remarkable. Ohio has 44 less pensioners than Pennsylvania, but they draw from the Treasury $15,311,127, or an excess of $1,932,756. Ohio has 2,144,570 less population than Pennsylvania, yet almost the same number of pensioners. The records of our wars do not show that Ohio sent soldiers to the field in greater proportion than did Pennsylvania; but allowing for all changes through migration or otherwise that might affect the after showing of the Pension Office, the Buckeye veterans have shown astonishing facility in getting pensionably hurt afield without getting killed.

"Something may be due to the superior activity of Ohio pension agents and Ohio politicians; but the figures throw very grave doubt upon the working of the Pension laws. That there should be twice as many pensioners thirty-six years after the close of the civil war as there were ten years afterward is a fact impossible of satisfactory explanation. The imposing and unexampled gratitude of the Republic to its brave defenders has been terribly misused, to the profit of undeservers."

There are now on the rolls 993,115 pensions, drawing in the aggregate $137,753,685. Ohio leads with 104,301 who get $15,211,127; Pennsylvania comes next with 104,345 who get $13,278,371; New York next with 88,794 who get $11,931,376; Illinois next with 70,481 who get $9,757,007; Indiana next with 66,994 who get $10,291,896. These States lead and draw in the aggregate. There are four States which draw not far from one-half of the total amount paid in pensions. They are satisfied with the way the thing works and doubtless will be while they have such a pull on the Treasury.

VIOLATING HIS STATE LAW.

In refusing to recognize the requisition of the Governor of Kentucky for the two fugitives from that State, the Governor of Indiana is not only violating the constitution of the United States, but the law of his own State passed by a Republican legislature in 1881, which the Indianapolis *State Sentinel* quotes as follows:

"Upon the demand of the executive authority of any State or Territory of the United States upon the governor of this State, pursuant to the constitution and laws of the United States, he shall issue his warrant, reciting the fact of such demand and the charge upon which it is based with the time and place of the alleged commision of the offence, directed generally to any sheriff or constable of any county of this State commanding him to apprehend such fugitive and bring him before the circuit or criminal judge of this State who may be nearest or most convenient of access to the place at which the arrest may be made."

This is mandatory; there is nothing discretionary in it. There is but one exception to it and that is set forth in the act which prescribes that if the person charged with a crime committed in another State can establish the fact that he was in Indiana at the time the crime with which he is charged was committed he shall not be delivered up to the State claiming him, so that this law leaves nothing discretionary with the Governor, but says plainly what he must and must not do. But the Governor of Indiana, who has been harboring and protecting these Kentucky refugees charged with complicity in the assassination of a Governor, assumes the right to hold them on the pretence that they would not get a fair trial if remanded to Kentucky. As Governor he took an oath to obey, support and enforce this as well as other laws of his State and in his partisan zeal is not only violating the law but perjuring himself. If justice were dealt out to him he would be impeached and turned out of office.

Miss Montross, of Fishkill, N. Y., aged 73, and Mr. Gratz, of Omaha, Neb., aged 32, met by chance last Summer on a plank walk at Atlantic City. It was a narrow walk, and Miss Montross had a narrow escape. She had some money, and Mr. Gratz fell violently in love with her. She reciprocated, although not violently. They corresponded, the day was fixed for the nuptials, and she went to Omaha. When she got there Mr. Gratz, who seems to have had an eye to business, insisted that as a preliminary she should deed all her worldly possessions to him, which the young lady declined to do. Thereupon Mr. Gratz disappeared and the wedding was declared off. Miss M. didn't turn out to be as giddy a young thing as Mr. G. took her to be, but she is out some car fare.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Some Chinamen in this country refuse to believe that Li Hung Chang is dead. This is what Li gets for his bad reputation for truth and veracity. — *Washington Star, Rep.*

—— The total vote cast in Ohio at the recent election was nearly 200,000 less than when Bryan was being voted for, and Tammany received 30,000 votes less than Bryan received in New York city a year ago. We frankly confess that Mr. Bryan has a smile coming to him.—*Atlanta Journal, Dem.*

—— The Rev. Sam Jones should note warning in that incident reported from a Kentucky town where a minister, who, relying too much on his cloth for protection, insulted a member of his congregation from his pulpit and was stabbed to death. The yellow preacher arouses the devil in a man more often than he does the good spirits. —*Chattanooga Times, Ind.*

—— President Roosevelt has further affirmed his sturdy adherence to the cause of Civil Service Reform by forcing the resignation of Internal Revenue Collector Sapp, of Louisville, Ky. Sapp had ignored and defied the civil service rules from the day of his appointment. The spectacle of his head in the basket should not be lost upon some of his brother Collectors in this State, who, under the protecting arm of Quay, have been hardly less defiant in disobeying the law and making partisanship rather than merit the test of fitness for government service.—*Philadelphia Record, Dem.*

Presiding Elder's Appointments, Wilmington District.

Burgaw church, Burgaw, Nov. 13.
Jacksonville and Richlands, Richlands, Nov. 15.
Onslow, Tabernacle, Nov. 16, 17.
Scott's Hill church, Scott's Hill Nov. 18.
Waccamaw, Nov. 23.
Whiteville, Chadbourn, Nov. 23, 24.
Bladen street, Nov. 27.
Market street, Nov. 28.
Kenansville, Charity, Nov. 29.
Magnolia, Providence, Nov. 30, Dec. 1.

R. B. JOHN, P. E.

NASHVILLE, TENN., June 12, 1899.

Dr. C. J. MOFFETT, St. Louis, Mo.—I can truly say that your TESTIMONIA is the greatest blessing to teething children that the world has ever known. I have used it two years, and do not like to be without a box all the time. My baby would hardly have lived through his second summer if I had not used your powders. He is now strong and well, and has all his teeth. I never allow an opportunity to pass without recommending TESTIMONIA to mothers. May God reward you for the good you have done teething babies through this remedy.

Respectfully, Mrs. A. O. RUSSELL.

Dr. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION FOR WEAK WOMEN.

A Child's Cry

Pierces the mother's heart like a sword. Often the mother who would do everything for the little one she loves, is utterly impotent to help and finds no help in physicians. That was the case with Mrs. Duncan, whose little one was almost blind with scrofula. But fortunately she was led to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and so cured the child without resorting to a painful operation.

The great blood-purifying properties of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery have been proved over and over again in cases of scrofula, eczema, eruptions and other diseases which are caused by an impure condition of the blood. It entirely eradicates the poisons which feed disease, and builds up the body with sound, healthy flesh.

"My little daughter became afflicted with scrofula, which affected her eyes," writes Mrs. Agnes L. Duncan, of Mansfield, Sebastian Co., Ark. "She could not bear the light for over a year. We tried to cure her eyes, but nothing did any good. We had our home physician and he advised us to take her to an oculist, as her eyelids would have to be 'scraped.' They had become so thick he thought she would never recover her sight. As there was no one else to whom we could apply my heart sank within me. I went to your 'Common Sense Medical Adviser,' read your treatment on scrofula, getting the properties of medicines there advised. With five bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery' I have entirely cured my child.

"Hoping this will be of some use to you and a blessing to other sufferers, with heartfelt thanks, I remain."

Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are an excellent laxative for children. They are easy to take and thorough in action.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Concord *Standard*: Sure enough the meteors fell Thursday night. A gentleman from down the country bringing in cotton reports a magnificent display between 2 o'clock and day. There were enough to light up the heavens as flashes of lightning sometimes.

— Durham *Sun*: Citizens are complaining of how hard it is to get darkies to cut up a cord of wood or even a load for them. There are plenty of idle negroes, but many of them are not disposed to work if they can get out of it. The cold blasts of Winter will be upon them in a short time, and then we expect some of them will go to white people for assistance. We have seen this very thing done time and time again.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: 'Squire D. N. McLean disposed of a very queer case of cruelty to animals to-day. A negro named Anna McKethan was charged by her neighbor, Eliza Cain, colored, with killing her chickens by giving them salt and match heads in dough. The magistrate found the woman guilty and made it cost her $9.50. The magistrate, who is a chicken fancier, says he would have liked to have sent the woman to jail.

— Sanford *Express*: It is said that Cape Fear river is alive with wild geese and ducks this season. Wild turkeys are also plentiful in the river section. ——Rabbits are said to be very numerous this season. As birds are also plentiful there is sport in store for the man with gun and dog. —— The West End plant for manufacturing veneer for furniture, crates, etc., is about completed. The company has been incorporated with a capital stock of $5,000, wit the privilege of increasing to $10,000. ——The Sanford Furniture Manufacturing Company have ordered a large dynamo for supplying their plant with electric lights so that they may be able to work at night. It will take months to catch up with their orders.

— Kinston *Free Press*: While on his way home Thursday night about 9:30 o'clock Mr. R. W. Burkett was accosted by two colored women. He talked to them a few minutes and then started home. A few minutes later he discovered that he had been robbed of $2.50 in money and a watch. This morning he swore out a warrant against Georgiana Miller, colored, charging her with the robbery. She was given a preliminary hearing before Mayor Webb. Mr. Burkett testified that he was intoxicated at the time he was robbed, but that he recognized the person who robbed him as the Miller woman. The woman attempted to prove an alibi, but this was not conclusive and Mayor Webb sent the case to court.

— Asheville *Citizen*: It is learned here to-day (Thursday) in railroad circles that the proposed sale of the North Carolina Railway by a suit brought by South Dakota vs. North Carolina has fallen through. The project to sell the North Carolina Railway, which developed at Washington last Monday, has been the sensational incident of the week. A motion was made in the Supreme Court by Wheeler H. Peckham, Esq., of the New York, bar for leave to file a bill of complaint on the part of the State of Dakota looking to the sale of the railroad. The court took the motion under advisement. This suit was brought under that provision of the United States Constitution which permits one State to sue another. The Southern Railway, which holds a 99 year lease on the North Carolina Railway, was believed to have been behind the suit.

— High Point *Enterprise*: Snow Lumber Co., already one of the largest plants of the kind in the South, will enlarge their plant to double the size that it is now. They will build on the west side of the factory an addition 100x200, which will make the main building just one acre. Work will begin at once. —— Saturday night some very mean person got in his work at the Graded School building, cutting down some of the young trees and besmearing the building with mortar. He had better keep his meanness pretty well concealed for there are a dozen men ready now to contribute $50 to send him to the county roads for five years and he will go there sure if he is caught. —— An aged woman got off the cars here Saturday and attracted considerable attention on account of having a horn on her head which had grown out during the past few years. The horn was about four inches long. There was evidence of a similar growth on the other side of her head. Her name is Evangeline Hightower, of Leesburg, N. C., and she has been attending some of the fairs in this part of the State.

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long, writes Mrs. Charles Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, three $1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

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BY M. E. SANGSTER.

It isn't the thing you do, dear,
It's the thing you leave undone,
That gives you a bit of heartache
At the setting of the sun.
The tender word forgotten,
The letter you did not write,
The flower you did not send, dear,
Are your haunting ghosts at night.

The stone you might have lifted
Out of a brother's way;
The bit of heartsome counsel
You were hurried too much to say;
The loving touch of the hand, dear
The gentle, winning tone,
Which you had no time nor thought for,
With troubles of your own.

These little acts of kindness
So easily out of mind,
Those chances to be angels
Which we poor mortals find;
They come in night and silence;
Each sad, reproachful wrath,
When hope is faint and flagging,
And a chill has fallen on faith

For life is all too short, dear,
And sorrow is all too great,
To suffer our slow compassion,
That tardies until too late;
And it isn't the thing you do, dear,
It's the thing you leave undone,
Which gives you a bit of heartache,
At the setting of the sun.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

St. Thomas' church: First mass, 7 A. M.; high mass and sermon, 10:30 A. M.; vespers and sermon, 7:45 P. M.

Services to-day at St. Paul's church at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., conducted by Rev. W. F. Dickinson; Sunday school at 3:30 o'clock.

Services in St. John's church today, 24th Sunday after Trinity, by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Carmichael, at 7:45 and 11 A. M. Sunday school at 4 P. M.

First Baptist church, Rev. Calvin S. Blackwell, D. D., pastor. 11 A. M. "Gather up the Fragments." 7:30 P. M. "Surrender," and baptismal service at close of night sermon.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Sixth and Market streets, Rev. A. G. Voigt pastor. English services to day at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 3:3, P. M Everybody cordially invited.

Services in St. James' church, the Rev. F. H. T. Horsfield rector. Holy communion 7:45 A. M., morning prayer and sermon 11 o'clock, Sunday school 3:45 P. M. and evening prayer at 5 P. M.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran church, North Fourth street, above Bladen street, Rev. C. W. Kegley pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M., preaching at 11 A. M., and services at 7:30 P. M. All seats free and every person welcome.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

— Attachment to Christ is the only secret of detachment from the world.

— Little love, little trust, but a great love brings a great confidence.—*Robert Leighton.*

— Overworked to-day is charged up against to-morrow, and Nature's clerk of credits is not a philanthropist.

— We may glorify God occasionally in our speech, but we can glorify him every day by living a Christian life.

— Do something every day that will allow you to feel at night that you have given some of your time and strength to the definite service of the Lord.

— All human discoveries seem to be made only for the purpose of confirming more and more strongly the truths contained in the Holy Scriptures.

— Hard work, promptly and vigorously executed, is the best remedy we know for disappointments. Let preachers and laymen who are not exactly satisfied try the remedy at once.

— The same spirit of faith that teaches a man to cry earnestly teaches him to wait patiently; for as it assures him the mercy is in the Lord's hand, so it assures him that it will be given forth in the Lord's time.—*John Mason.*

— When wit is kind as well as playful, when information knows how to be silent as well as how to speak, when good will is shown to the absent as well as to those who are present, we may know that we are in good society.—*Sir Arthur Helps.*

— When we are told that God is the Redeemer of the world we know that love dwells in the bosom of the Most High; but if we want to know that God feels for us individually and separately we must learn by heart this syllable of endearment, "my Redeemer." Child of God, if you would have your thought of God something beyond a cold feeling of His presence, let faith appropriate Christ.—*F. W. Robertson.*

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—689 bales cotton, 6 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—487 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 2 barrels rosin, 13 barrels tar, 39 barrels crude turpentine.

C. C. Railroad—147 bales cotton, 55 barrels rosin, 35 barrels tar.

A. & Y. Railroad—377 bales cotton, 18 casks spirits turpentine, 61 barrels tar.

Steamer Compton—16 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 39 barrels rosin.

Steamer A. P. Hurt—7 bales cotton, 37 casks spirits turpentine, 31 barrel rosin, 48 barrels tar, 7 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—1,633 bales cotton, 53 casks spirits turpentine, 107 barrels rosin, 157 barrels tar, 42 barrels crude turpentine.

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As ever, thy friend, *John Evans,*
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The above letter written by a venerable old Quaker, Mr. John Evans, living at South Wabash, Ind. tells in his quaint language his experience with the national catarrh remedy, Peruna.

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Could any words be more to the point, could any evidence be more convincing, than the above persuasive, direct, sincere letter? Systemic catarrh is a condition in which chronic catarrh has pervaded the whole system. Catarrh first begins by localizing itself in some one or more organs of the body, but very soon it shows a tendency to spread to other organs. If it is not checked, the whole system becomes invaded by this insidious disease.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Produce Exchange.]

STAR OFFICE, November 16.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market firm at 95c per barrel bid for strained and $1.00 per barrel bid for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.25 per barrel of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.10 per barrel for hard, $2.00 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine steady at 41¾@40½c; rosin steady at $1.20@1.25; tar steady at $1.55; crude turpentine firm at $1.40 @2.40.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	53
Rosin	107
Tar	157
Crude turpentine	42

Receipts same day last year—88 casks spirits turpentine, 306 barrels rosin, 149 barrels tar, 49 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 7¾c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	4 15-16 cts. ₱ lb
Good ordinary	6 5-16 " "
Low middling	6 15-16 " "
Middling	7¾ " "
Good middling	7 13-16 " "

Same day last year, market firm at 9¼c for middling.

Receipts—1,633 bales; same day last year, 1,844.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 60c; extra prime, 55c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 70c Virginia—Prime, 55c; extra prime, 60c; fancy, 65c. Spanish, 60@65c.

CORN—Firm; 75 to 77c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 12@13c; sides, 12@13c.

EGGS—Firm at 18@19c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 25@38c; springs, 10 to 20c.

TURKEYS—Dressed, firm at 12½@15c; live, 9@10c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@5¾c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 40@50c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Money on call firm at 3@4 per cent., last loan at 4 per cent., ruling rate — per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange was firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487¾@488 for demand and at 484½@484¾ for sixty days. The posted rates were 485 and 488½. Commercial bills were 483¾@484½. Bar silver 56¼. Mexican dollars 45. Government bonds strong. State bonds steady. Railroad bonds were steady. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 109; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 109; U. S. 3's, reg'd 108; do. coupon, 108¼; U. S. 4's, new reg'd, 139; do. coupon 139; U. S. 4's, old reg'd, 112¾; do. coupon, 112¾; U. S. 5's, do. reg'd, 107; coupon, 107; Southern Railway 5's 120½. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 107¾; Chesapeake & Ohio 47; Manhattan L 199¼; N. Y. Central 162¾; Reading 48; do. 1st pref'd 79¼; do. 2nd pref'd 58; St. Paul 170¼; do. pref'd, 188; Southern R'way 33¾; do. pref'd 90¼; Amalgamated Copper 87½; American Tobacco ——; People's Gas 103; Sugar 119¼; Tennessee Coal and Iron 83¾; U. S. Leather 11½; do. pref'd, 81¼; Western Union 90¼; U. S. Steel 43¾; do. preferred 93½; Mexican National 13¾; Standard Oil 698@705; Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., 63; do. preferred 123

Total sales of stock to day 435,500 shares.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 16.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 27@27¼; do. preferred, 50¾@51; do 4s 88@88¼.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16—Rosin steady. Strained common to good $1 50. Spirits turpentine steady at 37¼@38¼c.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 16.—Spirits turpentine firm at 34½c; sales — casks. Rosin firm and unchanged; sales — barrels.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 16.—Spirits turpentine firm at 35c; receipts 537 casks; sales 885 casks; exports 941 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 2,008 barrels; sales 2,398 barrels; exports 6,727 barrels. Prices unchanged.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—The cotton market opened steady, with prices two to five points higher on brisk demand from smaller shorts and the moderate buying for commission house account. Wall street was the chief buyer from the outside, though Europe and the South at times picked up scattering amounts of the late months. Trading was fairly active for Saturday and beneath the surface the larger bears seemed uneasy and distrustful. Soon after the call the market settled a few points under profit-taking by yesterday's pit scalpers. Later prices improved slowly on outside buying and covering by prominent bear interests. Receipts at the ports were no larger than expected and private dispatches from interior towns foreshadowed a steady decrease in the movement there. Spot markets South were holding firm with demand from exporters unchecked. The market for futures closed quiet and steady with prices one point higher to one point net lower.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Cotton quiet at 8c; net receipts 1,753 bales; gross 4,365 bales; stock 75,666 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 8c; middling gulf 8¼c; sales 219 bales.

Futures closed quiet and steady; November 7.51, December 7.53, January 7.53, February 7.51, March 7.51, April 7.53, May 7.53, June 7.53, July 7.53, August 7.45.

Total to-day—Net receipts 46,933 bales; exports to Great Britain 14,487 bales; exports to the Continent 28,085 bales; stock 784,449 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 46,933 bales; exports to Great Britain 14,487 bales; exports to the Continent 71,954 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 2,773,459 bales; exports to Great Britain 966,584 bales; exports to France 234,635 bales; exports to the Continent 763,997 bales.

Nov. 16—Galveston, steady at 7¼c, net receipts 8,902 bales; Norfolk, steady at 7¾c, net receipts 3,144 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 7¾c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 8c, net receipts 1,726 bales; Wilmington, firm at 7¾c, net receipts 1,623 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 8¼c, net receipts 50 bales; Savannah, steady at 7¼c, net receipts 9,573 bales; New Orleans easy at 7 5-16c, net receipts 15,800 bales; Mobile, quiet at 7 3-16c, net receipts 718 bales; Memphis, steady at 7 3-16c, net receipts 3,408 bales; Augusta, steady at 7 7-16c, net receipts 2,101 bales; Charleston, firm at 7¼c, net receipts 1,595 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Flour was quiet and steady; winter patents $3 60@3 90; winter straights $3 80@4 10. Wheat—spot steady; No 2 red 82c; options opened firm on cables and covering only to ease off later through moderate short selling, an adjustment of long accounts and less active outside support. Closed weak at ½@¾c net decline. Sales: May closed 81¼c; December 80c. Corn—spot market easy; No. 2, 68c; the options market opened firm and higher on firmness abroad, but later in the session fell off under realizing and the drop in wheat. Closed weak at ¼c net lower. Sales included. May closed 67¼c; December 67¼c. Oats—spot steady; No 2, 46c; options dull and about steady. Lard steady; Western steam $8 35; refined firm; continent $9 00; South American $10 00; compound 7¼@7¾c. Pork quiet; family $17 00@17 25; short clear $17 50@19 00. Tallow firm; city ($2 per package) 5 11-16@5¾c; country (package free) 5¼@5¾c. Rice steady; domestic fair to extra 4@6¼c; Japan 4¼@5¼c. Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 6¾c; mild, quiet; Cordova 7½@11c. Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining 3 3 16c; centrifugal 96 test, 5 11-16c; refined sugar dull. Butter firm; creamery 17@23c; State dairy 15@23c. Cheese quiet; fancy large October 9¼@9¾c; fancy small do. 9¼@10c. Eggs firm; State and Pennsylvania 26@27c. Potatoes steady; Jerseys $1 50@1 75; New York $1 50@2 12½; Long Island $2 00@2 25; Jersey sweets $2 00@2 75. Cabbage steady; Long Island Flat Dutch, per 100, $2 00@3 00. Peanuts steady; fancy hand picked 4@4¼c; other domestic 2¼@3¼c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 13c. Cotton seed oil dull, closing about steady. Quotations: Prime crude barrels nominal; prime summer yellow 34½c; off summer yellow 34c; prime white 38@39c; prime winter yellow 38@39c; prime meal $25 00.

CHICAGO, Nov. 16.—Weakness in corn as a result of a slump in the cash market and expected larger receipts next week brought lower prices in all grains, and December wheat closed ½c lower, December corn ½@¾c lower and December oats ¼c down. Provisions closed 2½c lower.

CHICAGO, Nov. 16.—Cash quotations: Flour steady; winter patents $3 80@4 00; straights $3 60@3 80; clears $3 70@3 90; spring specials $4 00@4 10; patents $3 35@3 70; straights $3 80@3 90. Wheat—No. 2 spring —; No. 3 68@71¼c; No. 2 red 73¾@74½c. Corn—No. 2 —c; No. 2 yellow —c. Oats—No. 2 —c; No. 2 white 43¾@44c; No. 3 white 43¼@44c. Mess pork, per barrel, $13 75@13 80. Lard, per 100 lbs, $8 47½@8 50. Short rib sides, loose, $7 80@7 95. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $7 25@7 50. Short clear sides, boxed, $8 15@8 25. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 31.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 November 71¾, 71¾, 71¾, 71¾c; December 73¾@73¾, 73¾, 73¼, 73¼@73¾c; May 76¾@76¾, 76¾, 75¾, 76c. Corn—No. 2 November 59¾, 59¾, 59¼, 59¼c; December 60¼@60¾, 60¾, 59¾, 6c; May 63¼@63¾, 63¾, 62¾@63¾, 62¾c. Oats—December 40¼@40¾, 40¾, 39¾, 39¾@39¾; May 41¾@41¾, 41¾, 40¾, 40¾c. Mess pork, per bbl—January $15 00, 15 00, 14 90, 14 90; May $15 25, 15 25, 15 12½, 15 15. Lard, per 100 lbs—December $8 55, 8 55, 8 47½, 8 47½; January $8 50, 8 50, 8 50, 8 50; May $8 70, 8 70, 8 65, 8 65. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $7 85, 7 85, 7 65, 7 65; May $7 82½, 7 88¾, 7 77½, 7 80.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 16, 4:30 P. M.—Cotton: Spot quiet, prices eas

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RAISING YOUNG TURKEYS.

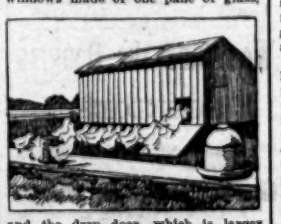
A Few Practical Suggestions From a Successful Breeder.

The question confronting most poultry raisers at present is, "How can I manage my turkeys so as to reduce the death rate of my young flock?" First of all the breeders must be healthy, strong, vigorous and well mated birds, without which you can only expect weakly poults. I have hatched turkeys both by chicken and turkey hens, and of course those with the natural mothers grow faster, but I prefer the chicken hen, as the chicken always comes home to roost, and the turkey roosts wherever night may overtake her. The poults are always tamer with chicken mothers, as a turkey hen is always shy when with the young and is apt to cultivate the already wild nature in the young by her shyness and, not having a certain place to roost, cultivates bad habits in the poults. When the poults are hatched, if by turkey and she is not cross, remove poults as soon as hatched to give room for hatching eggs, but if cross let her alone, as she will only trample and kill the young. When the hen is through hatching, give her a reasonable number only and place her in a clean coop on high, dry ground and make a small yard for poults, so that they cannot stray away from the mother for about three days or until they learn to follow. Grease the mother hen on breast and under the wings and grease the poults on heads to kill lice, if any. Five drops of carbolic acid to a heaping teaspoonful of grease is sure death, but care should be exercised not to be too liberal with the grease, for too much is also death to the poults. Always look out for lice on neck, vents and quill feathers in wing, using the above carbolic acid and grease every two weeks on quill feathers on top of wing. A liberal supply here will not hurt. Remember that nine-tenths of the young die from lice and overfeed. Cleanliness is also very essential in raising. No filth whatever should be allowed to accumulate.

Young poults should not be fed for 36 hours after hatching; then give plenty of sweet milk in such a manner as they can wet the beaks merely (turkeys will live and thrive on sweet milk like kittens) and well cooked corn bread soaked in sweet milk and squeezed dry. Mix enough for one meal only, as turkeys do not want any sour old feed. Milk curd, oat groat, millet seed and onion tops are also excellent. Be careful and not overfeed, as it is a great deal worse than to underfeed. More turkeys die because they have too much to eat rather than not enough. When allowed free range, they will pick up all feed necessary and therefore only need enough to make them appreciate home and be gentle. Avoid all dampness, as it is nearly always fatal. High, dry and clean quarters, free from lice, with sunshine for a tonic and not too much feed will always raise good, healthy turkeys.—Woodlawn Poultry Yards.

A Brood Coop.

The illustration shows a brood coop that is good for chicks or ducks. It is lighted in the short side of the roof by windows made of one pane of glass,



and the drop door, which is larger than the opening, serves for an entrance platform when the coop sets higher than the ground in front.

Feeding Little Chicks.

It seems to matter little what kind of food we give as long as it is rich in the elements of growth and the chicks keep in the right condition—in fact, we ought to feed as much of a variety as possible. I am feeding my brooder chicks this season oatmeal the first few days and raw cornmeal with about one-eighth part animal meal mixed with a little cold water and lots of hard boiled eggs. I had several hundred infertile eggs, and they make fine food for chicks if one is careful not to feed enough to constipate them. With hens I have to omit the oatmeal, for, although it is the best food for chicks, it is too expensive food for even the chicks after 4 days old, and some mother hens eat more than the chicks. I have generally fed bread soaked in water or milk when it could be had, mixing in chopped boiled eggs, animal and Indian meal at times, for the first few days and baked corn cakes crumbled fine.—Hin Crank in Poultry Monthly.

Pinfeathers.

Never omit to keep a record of the product of the poultry yards. A showing of what is done there is sure to make converts to poultry keeping.

Above the door of every poultry house should be written this motto: "Utility is the science and beauty the art of poultry raising."

Every poultryman can provide shade for his birds even if he can do no better than to plant sunflowers. It is absolutely necessary for young chicks to have a cool shelter from the hot rays of the sun.

Go quietly among the fowls and you will succeed better with the young chicks. The quiet hen will hatch better and make a better mother. Some say, "Give me the hen that will fight for her chicks," but not so. She will rush about and trample her own in her excitement; so keep the hen quiet if you would raise many chicks.

How to Wash Glass.

Slip the glasses in sideways so that the water touches the outside and inside of the glass at the same time, and there will be no danger of cracking from unequal expansion. Wash one at a time, rolling it around in the pan with the ends of the fingers, or use a dish mop kept specially for the glass and silver. Wipe at once without rinsing or draining. Before washing a glass that has held milk or a glass milk bottle rinse first in cold water. A generous sized piece of old cotton cloth, neatly hemmed to avoid raveling and lint, is the best polishing towel for glass.

How to Make Apple Pan Dowdy.

Butter a deep, brown earthenware pudding dish, peel and slice apples enough to fill it. For two quarts of apples use a teaspoonful each of powdered cinnamon and salt, half a pound of brown sugar, half a pint of cider or water. Thoroughly mix the spice, salt and sugar upon the apples and pour the water or cider over them. Cover with a plain pie paste, place in a moderate oven and bake slowly for three hours, taking care that the oven is not hot enough to burn the crust. This may be eaten hot or cold, with sugar and cream.

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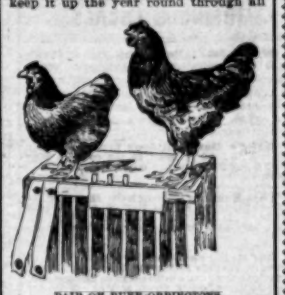

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changes of weather. They are gentle as sitters and make excellent mothers; in fact, they are big bodied fowls, good layers, healthy, vigorous, active and remarkably docile.

In my opinion there will be a lot of money made in the next few years in supplying the great demand that will arise for Buff Orpingtons, and the poultry breeder who possesses a fine flock of them, small or large, is indeed fortunate. All who see or hear of them have a desire to own some breeding stock. Today the demand is far in advance of the supply. Prices range high, and a scarcity exists at any price. This is advantageous in a way to the breed, for it places them in the hands of a class of people who will breed them well up toward perfection and push them to the front.—Mrs. W. A. Marshall in Reliable Poultry Journal.

When Hens Are Molting.

What do you feed your hens in the molting season? While some think it is necessary to give an extra amount of food of wheat and corn, they are mistaken. Hens fed at this season with too much grain will make them too fat, and fat hens as egg producers are a failure. Keep your hens healthy by giving them exercise and very little if any grain for food.

The only attention which the molting hens require at the hands of the owner is a constant supply of pure drinking water and dry sleeping quarters. And it is not wise to make the latter very warm in the belief that the scanty covering of the hens calls for close protection from the chilly air of the autumn nights. Exposure to this air under a dry roof will hasten the molting process. Leave the windows open till November except in time of threatened storm. Two weeks before this resume grain feeding, and if the hens are the right sort you will not be able to feed them heavy enough to shut off the winter eggs.—Central Farmer.

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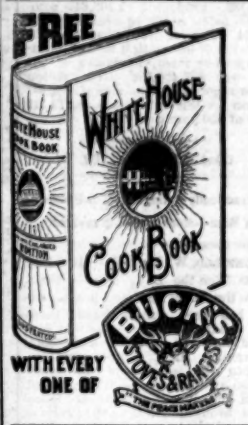

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Ar Norlina	3 18 a m	12 23 p m
Ar Portsmouth	7 00 a m	5 50 p m
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Ar Raleigh	1 20 a m	10 27 a m
Ar Norlina	5 18 a m	12 23 p m
Ar Petersburg	5 48 a m	2 45 p m
Ar Richmond	6 30 a m	3 31 p m
Ar Washington	10 10 a m	7 05 p m
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Time Table No. 16.

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. No. 6 Pass'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. No. 6 Pass'r Train Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	5 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	6 30	Kinston	10 10	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37	9 00
7 00	7 07	Morehead City	7 02	7 07
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.25 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 8.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at New bern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 5.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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DAILY 9.30 A. M. No. 43—Passenger—Due Magnolia 11.03 A. M., Warsaw 11.5 A. M., Goldsboro 12.21 P. M., Wilson 1.18 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.48 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M. Weldon 4.32 P. M., Petersburg 6.38 P. M., Richmond 7.32 P. M., Norfolk 5.5 P. M. Washington 11.35 P. M. Baltimore 1.50 A. M., Philadelphia 3.50 A. M., New York 6.53 A. M., *Boston 3.5 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.31 P. M., Warsaw 8.43 P. M., Goldsboro 9.27 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., *Tarboro 8.46 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.03 P. M. Weldon 1.30 A. M., *Norfolk 1.10 P. M. Petersburg 2.44 A. M., Richmond 3.30 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.20 A. M., Philadelphia 10.35 A. M. New York 1.05 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 4.15 P. M. No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 9.25 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 2.45 P. M. No. 35—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.56 P. M., Chadbourn 5.30 P. M. Marion 6.40 P. M., Florence 7.35 P. M., Sumter 9 12 P. M., Columbia 10.30 P. M., Denmark 8.35 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M. Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.30 P. M. Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 3.4 A. M., Jacksonville 8.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10 50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M. No. 33—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.05 P.M., leave Fayetteville 12.2 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 9.15 P. M. No. 42—Passenger—Leave Boston *1.30 P. M., New York *3.30 P. M., Philadelphia 10.30 A. M., Baltimore 8.55 A. M., Washington 4.40 A. M., Richmond 8.05 A. M., Petersburg 9.43 A. M., Norfolk 8.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.52 P. M. Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.35 P. M. Warsaw 4.28 P. M., Magnolia 4.40 P. M.

DAILY No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 1.00 night, New York 3.55 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., Baltimore 1.40 P. M. Washington 4.15 P. M., Richmond 6.57 P. M., Petersburg 7.45 P. M., *Norfolk 3.00 P. M., Weldon 9.10 P. M., *Tarboro 8.53 P. M., Rocky Mount 9.15 A. M. Leave Wilson 9.57 A. M., Goldsboro 10.45 A. M. Warsaw 7.30 A. M., Magnolia 7.55 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 9.00 A. M. No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 12.30 A. M. 12.15 P. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 7.25 P. M. No. 34—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.00 A. M., Sanford 2.38 P. M., Jacksonville 8.00 P. M., Savannah 1.20 A. M., Charleston 6.45 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M. Macon 2.00 A. M., Augusta 6.00 P. M. Denmark 4.20 P. M. Columbia 8.40 A. M., Sumter 8.08 P. M., Florence 9.55 A. M., Marion 10.35 A. M. Chadbourn 11.41 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.12 A. M.

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 7.15 P. M. No. 39—Passenger—Leave Sanford 4.38 P. M. P. M., arrive Fayetteville 4.00 P. M., leave Fayetteville 4.30 P. M.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.10 A. M. Maxton 8.58 A. M. Red Springs 9.32 A. M., Parkton 10.06 A. M. arrive Fayetteville 11.10 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.45 P. M., Hope Mills 5.00 P. M. Red Springs 5.43 P. M. Maxton 6.16 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Golf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 9.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10 19 A. M., arrives Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 4.15 P. M., Halifax 4.56 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 4.10 P. M., Greenville 5.47 P. M., Kinston 6.45 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 8.50 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.06 A. m., Weldon 11.50 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.05 A. M. and 2.45 P. M.; arrive Parmele 8.58 A. M. and 4.10 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 11 10 A. M. and 5.32 P. M.; arrives Washington 12 30 A. M. and 6.15 P. M. Daily except Sunday

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 4.25 P. M. Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrive Pittsmouth 6.35 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.30 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 9.50 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro daily except Sunday 8.10 A. M., arriving Smithfield 8.30 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7.00 A. M., arrives at Goldsboro 8.26 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 2.30 A. M. 4.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.30 A. M., 4.00 P. M. Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.30 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 12.45 A. M.; 6.25 P. M. arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M. 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily, except Sunday, 11.40 A. M. and 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton 6.45 A. M. and 2.50 P. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 12.13 A. M., arrive Latta 10.51 A. M., Dillon 10.49 A. M., Howland 10.58 A. M. Returning, leaves Howland 6.10 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.31 P. M. Latta 6.44 P. M., Pee Dee 7.26 P. M. daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Chadbourn 11.50 A. M.; arrive Conway 1.30 P. M.; returning leave Conway 2.40 P. M. arrive Chadbourn 5.00 P. M. leave Chadbourn 5.30 P. M.; arrive Elrod 6.10 A. M., returning leave Elrod 8.40 A. M., arrive Chadbourn 11.35 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 6.10 P. M., Manning 6.46 P. M.; arrive Lane's 7.30 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.27 A. M., Manning 9.17 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.50 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 8.40 A. M. *7.00 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 10 A. M. *8.20 P. M.; leave Georgetown 6.50 A. M.; *4.15 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.00 A. M.; *8.35 P. M.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 12.39 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.00 P.M.; arrive Darlington 8.38 P. M. Bennettsville 9.30 P. M., Gibson 10.30 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.50 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M.

Leave Gibson daily except Sunday at 6.15 A. M. Bennettsville 7.15 A. M.; arrive Darlington 8.15 A. M. Leave Darlington 8.30 A. M.; arrive Florence 9.15 A. M. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 4.10 P. M., Cheraw 5.15 P. M., Hartsville 7.25 A. M., Darlington 8.22 P. M.; arrive Florence 7.00 P. M. Leave Darlington 8.50 A. M., arrive Florence 9.15 A. M.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.59 P. M., 10.40 P. M., arrive Selma 2.43 P. M. 11.18 P. M., Smithfield 3.06 P. M., Dunn 3.40 P. M. Fayetteville 4.25 P. M., 12.20 A. M., Rowland 6.06 P. M. returning leave Rowland 10.55 A. M., Fayetteville 12.30 P. M., 10.22 P. M., Dunn 1.04 P. M., Smithfield 1.43 P. M. Selma 1.56 P. M., 11.35 P. M., arrive Wilson 3.35 P.M., 12.13 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.02 A. M., Creston 4.35 A. M., arrive Denmark 5.45 A. M. Returning leave Denmark 4.36 P. M., Creston 5.15 P. M. Sumter 6.00 P. M. Daily.

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The Morning Star.

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SUNDAY MORNING, NOV. 17.

MISS STONE'S RANSOM.

Brigands Reduce the Amount, But There is Still Little Hope of an Immediate Settlement and Release.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

SOFIA, BULGARIA, Nov. 16.—The brigands who captured Miss Stone and her companion have reduced the amount of ransom they demand to 20,000 pounds Turkish. Coincident with this intelligence is the information that the leaders of the band, if convinced that this is more than Mr. Dickinson will give, would accept 15,000 pounds. Even this sum is greatly beyond the cash at Mr. Dickinson's disposal. Therefore unless the captors of the missionary further abate their demands there is no hope of an immediate settlement.

An agent who is in touch with the brigands reports that they recognize they made a mistake in kidnapping Miss Stone. They would, however, consider it worse than a blunder to release her without an adequate ransom.

There is no longer any fear regarding the brigands' intentions toward the captives. They declare themselves to be not robbers but patriots performing an obnoxious task in the interests of a holy cause. The majority of the kidnappers are peasants and farmers, directed by a secret committee to execute its decisions.

DANISH WEST INDIES.

Negotiations for Cession to the United States Transferred to Washington.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, November 16.—The negotiations between the governments of the United States and Denmark, relative to the cession to the United States of the Danish West Indies, have been transferred to Washington. The negotiations were initiated by Mr. Swenson, U. S. minister to Copenhagen, about three years ago, and later on Mr. White, secretary of the embassy at London, took up the work in behalf of the United States.

The transfer to Washington was brought about through the desire of the Danish government to place its interests in the matter in the hands of Mr Constantin Brun, Danish minister at this capital. He spent some time at Copenhagen last Summer and returned to Washington recently, thoroughly prepared to carry forward the negotiations directly with Secretary Hay. It is learned that within the last few days there has been increased activity in the negotiations and that sensible progress has been made toward the completion of a treaty of cession.

NORTH CAROLINA'S COTTON CROP.

Estimated at 328,040 Bales, Against a Crop of 542,000 Last Year.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 16.—The *News and Observer* on Sunday morning will print letters from nearly two hundred correspondents in all sections of the cotton belt of North Carolina, answering questions as to the cotton crop in the State this year as compared with last year's crop. These letters show that the cotton crop of North Carolina this year is 65 1-12 per cent. of last year's crop, which will give 328,040 bales, against 542,000 last year. There is yet remaining in the fields, according to these correspondents, who are all cotton planters, manufacturers or buyers, 10 1 16 per cent of the crop. The reports show that the average amount of lint cotton produced per acre is 141½ pounds. The *News and Observer* in an editorial claims that ninety per cent. of its information is based upon actual knowledge and only ten per cent. of estimates.

JEFFRIES-RUHLIN FIGHT.

Jeffries to Meet Tom Sharkey in the Ring at San Francisco Next Month.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 16.—The town is still talking of the Jeffries-Ruhlin fight, and those who paid $30,000 into the box office have come to the conclusion that Ruhlin was outclassed. The contest did not demonstrate much except that Ruhlin is not a high class man. Jeffries had hardly an opportunity to show what he could do if pushed. He appeared in excellent condition, was quick on his feet and never lost his head. He apparently made no effort to avoid Ruhlin's gentle taps, but went steadily after his man. Apparently, he could have ended the fight in the first round had he been so inclined. Next month Jeffries is to meet Tom Sharkey under the auspices of the San Francisco Athletic Club. The exact amount taken in from the sale of tickets is announced at $32,000.

FOOTBALL AT RALEIGH.

University Team Beat the A. & M. College Team Thirty to Nothing.

By Telegraph to the Morning star.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 16.—The University of North Carolina football team met the team of the Agricultural and Mechanical College here this afternoon. There were three substitutes on the University team, which put up a snappy game of ball and entirely outclassed the Agricultural and Mechanical team. This is the last game of the University of North Carolina before it plays the University of Virginia, at Norfolk, next Saturday for the championship of the South. The game to-day was won by the University by a score of 30 to 0, with twelve minutes in the second half to spare.

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NEAR YORK, PENNSYLVANIA.

Passengers On the Train Were Severely Shocked and Consternation Prevailed, But All Escaped Injury. Attempt at Train Robbery.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

YORK, PA., November 16.—The Southwestern express, on the Northern Central railway, due in this city at 10:44 P. M., was wrecked last night by a charge of dynamite placed under the track near the Black Bridge, a short distance north of York. The train was running at the rate of forty-five miles an hour when the explosion occurred. Passengers on the train were severely shocked and consternation prevailed. All escaped injury. A piece of rail two and a half feet long was blown out of the track and three coaches were derailed and drawn over the ties a distance of two hundred feet before the train was brought to a stop. Engine No. 3,053, which drew the train, had its hearth blown off and the windows of the cab were shattered. The trucks under an express car and a day coach were badly wrecked. Four Pullman cars, a day coach, a combination car and an express car composed the train.

The spot where the wreck occurred is surrounded by high hills on one side and Codorous Creek on the other, and is one of the lonliest places between Harrisburg and Baltimore. It is believed that the object of the perpetrators was robbery.

The police officials advance the theory that the robbers had set the dynamite for the Buffalo express, which is said to carry considerable money, but for some unaccountable reason that train passed over the charge without exploding it.

The York wrecking crew was called out and after a delay of several hours placed new trucks under the cars and put the track in order. At the place where the explosion occurred a hole was blown in the road bed large enough to bury a man. Where the rail was broken the edges were cut off almost as clean as if done by shears.

Engineer Isaac Steine, who was in charge of the locomotive, said he heard a terrific explosion, followed by a great shock. The explosion occurred immediately under the day coach, which was four cars behind the engine. Passengers on the train say they first saw a ball of fire in the air, which was followed by a blinding flash and a deafening roar. The passengers were greatly shocked, many throwing themselves on the floor of the cars until the train stopped. A panic prevailed among the passengers until they were assured that the danger was all over.

Superintendent Kapp, of the Baltimore division of the Northern Central railway, came to York to day and made a thorough investigation of the wreck of the Southwestern express. On concluding his investigation Superintendent Kapp said that undoubtedly an attempt had been made to wreck the train for the purpose of robbery.

At 5 o'clock this afternoon it was announced that a clue had been discovered which may result in an arrest before the night is over.

CHARLESTON'S EXPOSITION.

Society People of the City Arranging for Entertainment of Visitors to Whom Courtesies Should be Extended.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLESTON, S. C., November 16.—The social side of the Exposition at Charleston will be consistent with the reputation of this community for a refined and gracious hospitality. The woman's department of the Exposition is under the management of Mrs. Sarah Calhoun Simonds, a grand-niece of the great statesman, and she has as her aids all the society people of the city. At a meeting of the woman's committee on reception and entertainment, of which Mrs Andrew Simonds is chairman, it was agreed that an "at home" would be given once a week in the woman's building at the Exposition grounds, to which all the Exposition commissioners and their wives and visitors will be invited, and all visitors to the Exposition to whom special courtesies should be extended. At these entertainments tea grown on American soil will be served, flanked by dishes that are peculiar to this latitude. It is the intention of the ladies to make the visitors feel entirely at home and the Exposition period the most brilliant in the social life of Charleston. Besides the weekly entertainments which will be given regularly the ladies are already arranging for a number of more elaborate functions, and among the events of this order is a ball to be given to the admiral and officers of the North Atlantic squadron, which has been ordered to Charleston to take part in the Exposition early in December. Then, when the President comes to the Exposition on February 12th, it is expected that all the beauty and chivalry of the State and the South will be here to do him honor. In addition to the "at homes" and the balls, the women are providing for a great many private receptions and dances, so that the whole Exposition period will be made the opportunity of bringing the people of the country together in the most intimate and pleasant way.

POCAHONTAS MINE FIRE.

Assistance Asked From the Fire Department at Roanoke, Va.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ROANOKE, VA., Nov. 16.—Chief of Fire Department McFall to-day received a telegram from the chief of the fire department at Pocahontas asking that several hundred feet of hose be sent as soon as possible to Pocahontas, the Baby mine at that place still being on fire. The fire in the mine is still raging and more hose was needed.

PRISONERS BREAK JAIL.

General Jail Delivery at Louisburg, N. C. Five Men Get Away.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 16.—A special from Louisburg, N. C., says:

"There was a general jail delivery here last night. Five people were in the prison at the time and they wrecked one of the steel cages and then broke through the outer barriers. One of the prisoners, Ben Foster, was under sentence of death for murder, but had taken an appeal to the Supreme Court. All of them were colored."

WILSON CHRISTIAN COLLEGE.

Dr. Daniel E. Motley, of Asheville, Elected President of the Institution.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 16.—A *News and Observer* special from Wilson, N. C., says:

The board of trustees of Wilson Christian College met Friday night and with great enthusiasm elected Dr. Daniel E Motley, of Asheville, president. Dr. Motley, who has been closely allied with our educational interests for the past two years will now be directly associated with the leading educators of our State. Prof. Joseph Kinsey, who has been for many years one of the leading educators in the State, and who has done more than any one man to establish a college at Wilson, was unanimously elected professor of Latin and mathematics.

AN ALLEGED FORGER.

Arrested in New York On Suspicion of Trying to Negotiate Worthless Notes.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Captain Titus, chief of the detective bureau, to night gave out the details of the arrest to-day of a man who is suspected of trying to negotiate with Wall street banks and brokers worthless notes amounting in the aggregate to $108,000, on which the names of Potter Palmer and other prominent Chicago men are alleged to have been forged. The prisoner is said by Captain Titus to be O. B. Wheeler, Jr., about 50 years old, although the prisoner himself says he is Azmer J. Wheeler. He refused to give any address, and declares that he acted in good faith in trying to negotiate the notes. He was locked up at police headquarters to-night.

FIRE IN NEW HAVEN.

One of the Yale College Dormitories Destroyed—A Student Injured.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW HAVEN, November 16.—Fire to-day ruined the finest of the Yale student's dormitories—the Hutchinson—which was erected a few years ago at a cost of $200,000. Eugene Hale Winslow, a student from Pennsylvania, was rescued with difficulty from a fifth story window. He was unconscious when brought to the ground and has remained in that condition.

WARM WIRELETS.

The Schley court of inquiry it is thought will strive to finish its work before Congress convenes.

Yale defeated Princeton in the annual football contest at Yale field yesterday by a score of 12 to 0.

United States Senator Bacon, of Georgia, arrived at San Francisco yesterday on the steamer Gaelic.

Fire at Albany, Ga., destroyed the big warehouse of A. W. Muse & Co., and twenty-six hundred bales of cotton. Loss $125,000.

A dispatch from The Hague says: The Queen mother, coming to-day from the bedside of Queen Wilhelmina, said the royal patient was better.

The Louisville & Nashville railroad authorities have announced that beginning December 1st the wages of all mechanics in its shops will be advanced 10 per cent

Orders have been issued by the War Department directing the Twenty-seventh infantry to sail for the Philippines as soon as transportation can be provided.

The United States transport Hancock which was yesterday reported ashore on the south side of the straits of Shimonoseki, has been floated and is proceeding to Kobe.

Cresceus, the famous trotter, failed to lower his record at the Overland Park mile track at Denver, but he made a new record of 2:08 for the track. The former record for the Overland was 2:11¾.

Bobby Walthour, of Atlanta, won the six-day one hour a day bicycle run in Memphis, with a total score of 137 miles and ten laps. Walthour gained the victory by only a foot from Bowler.

Early yesterday the South bound New York and Norfolk express, on the Delaware Railroad, was derailed at Farnhurst, Del., by a supposed attempt to wreck it. The engineer and fireman were slightly injured.

Some anxiety is felt at Beaufort, N. C., for the safety of the government mail boat Violet. It is now since Wednesday overdue and yesterday morning the Kitty Watts, its companion, went down the sound in search of it.

A fire which was started in the Newton, Ks., lumber yards yesterday did $150,000 damage. The fire was caused by the spontaneous combustion of a barrel of tar. J. Stine, an employe, was badly injured by the explosion and will probably die.

Schooner Lizzie J. Call, from Norfolk for Norwich, lumber laden, arrived at Philadelphia and reports, November 15th, off Winterquarter Shoal, struck a floating wreck, probably the deck of a vessel, tearing out chain plates and causing a leak.

Mercer University's faculty, at Macon, Ga., announce that they have the $50,000 endowment required to be raised as a condition under which Jno. D. Rockefeller is to donate $15,000 to the institution through the American Baptist Educational Society.

A Berlin dispatch says that the latest experiments with electric locomotives show that the engines have reached a speed of a hundred miles an hour. The experiments have been suspended until a heavier track is built.

T. S. Hannay, president of the Liverpool Cotton Exchange, left Dallas, Texas, yesterday for Memphis. He has made a trip over nearly all the cotton growing States, and says he is convinced the crop will be considerably less than eleven million bales.

J. H. Carson, a deputy sheriff, at Tallulah, La., was shot and killed by a bridge laborer named De Lee, employed on the Vicksburg, Shreveport and Pacific railroad. De Lee had previously shot and wounded two fellow employes. De Lee was arrested.

The game of football at Atlanta between the elevens of the Georgia School of Technology and Davidson College of North Carolina, which was to have been played yesterday afternoon, was cancelled, neither team being able to agree upon the guarantee.

Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Uriswold Morse, widow of Prof. Samuel F. B. Morse, inventor of the telegraph, died in Berlin, Germany, on Thursday, at the home of her daughter. She was Prof. Morse's second wife, and was married to him in 1848. She was born in 1832.

Rev. W. H. Campbell, for twenty-seven years rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, Charleston, S. C., died yesterday. He was the youngest member of the convention which passed the ordinance of secession of South Carolina from the Union, and fought in the Confederacy.

For Croup use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

For sale by Bardin's Palace Pharmacy.

REPORTS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS

The Immigration Bureau's Statistics Concerning Arrivals in the United States.

INCREASE OVER LAST YEAR.

Cotton in Alabama—Census Returns—The Acreage—Production in the Year 1899 Over One Million Bales, Valued at $37,400,598.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—The annual report of Commissioner General Powderly, of the Immigration Bureau, shows the total steerage arrivals in the United States during the year to have been 487,918, an increase over the preceding year of 39,346, or approximately nine per cent. There were also 74,950 other alien passengers who came in the cabin, making the total for the year 562,868. Of the total steerage immigration 459,237 came from European countries, 13,593 from Asiatic, 173 from Africa and 4,915 from all other sources.

The net increase of 44,537 from Europe is made up of larger immigration from all countries of that continent, except Austria-Hungary, which shows a decrease as compared with last year of 1,437; Portugal, with Azores and Cape Veade islands, showing 69 less immigrants; the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, which sent 2,961 less and the Russian empire and Finland, whence the arrivals were fewer by 5,530.

The agricultural division of the twelfth census has completed its tabulation of the cotton crop of Alabama in the year 1899. In that year there were 192,384 farms reporting cotton, with an acreage of 3,202,135, producing 1,106,840 commercial bales, or the equivalent of 1,093,664 bales of 500 pounds each. The value of this cotton to the farmers as sold by them, exclusive of the seed, was $37,400,598. The cotton ginned reported by the manufacturers division for this State was 1,078,519 bales, of 500 pounds.

COAL MINE DISASTER.

Fire Practically Extinguished in Pocahontas Mine—More Bodies Recovered.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., Nov. 16.—The reports from the Baby mine to-night are to the effect that the fire practically has been extinguished, three huge streams of water having been poured into the burning mine since last evening. Lines of hose were run far into the interior of the shaft through air passages and brave men battled the flames, which at times almost brought death to themselves. Since early this morning three more bodies have been taken out, all badly charred. They have not been identified and probably are the bodies of Hungarian employes of the mines.

WHEAT SENT TO MEXICO.

Importations From the United States Will Continue So Long as Duty is Removed.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MEXICO CITY, No. 16.—From all parts of the western United States wheat is being sent to Mexico in amounts never before equalled. It is estimated by buyers and railroad men in this city that by the end of December more than 1,500 cars will have been delivered into the republic. And even this great amount will not end the importation, for so long as the duty is removed and there is the slightest lack of corn. Both buyers and transportation men believe that the importation will continue until the time for the removal of the tariff.

BANK ROBBED.

Vault and Safe Blown Open and Contents Taken—Robbers Captured.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

SIOUX CITY, IOWA, Nov. 16.—The Bank of Greenville, nine miles north of Sioux Rapids, was broken into last night, the vault and safe blown open and the contents taken. The robbers were captured after a sensational pursuit.

The bank is insured against burglars for three thousand dollars, which is said to make the bank good. No report has reached here as to the amount of money found on the captured robbers. Nitro-glycerine was found in their possession.

RIOTING IN GALWAY.

Result of the Parliamentary Contest Between Political Factions.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

DUBLIN, Nov. 16.—Rioting between the S. Horace Plunkett and Arthur Lynch factions, as a result of the parliamentary contest in Galway, was renewed last night. The Lynchites stormed the Unionist headquarters and further demolished the doors and windows. Numbers of persons were injured and several houses wrecked.

Four hundred policemen were drafted to Galway to day and are patrolling the streets. A large force of police is held at the court house in readiness for eventualities.

ATTORNEY DISBARRED.

Because of Criticisms Alleged to Have Been Made On President McKinley.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Secretary Hitchcock has disbarred William C. Buderus, an attorney of Sturgis, S. D., from practicing before the interior department because of criticisms alleged to have been made by the latter on the late President McKinley. Secretary Hitchcock in a letter says Buderus after the shooting of the President said:

"I am glad of it, and I hope he will die, as there will be one more tyrant less."

A dispatch from The Hague says the government, in the course of a communication to the chamber, dealing with the foreign office estimates, reiterated its desire for the time being to maintain its policy of neutrality in connection with the South African question.

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With a Gas Radiator in your bedroom there is no need to dress in the cold. A Gas Radiator will warm the room in fifteen minutes. nov 17 1t

The Regular Monthly Meeting of Cape Fear Camp No. 894, U. C. V. will be held at the W. L. I. Armory on Monday night, the 19th inst., at 8 o'clock. Henry Savage, Adjutant nov 17 1t

Big Returns—Small investment $100 to $500 month made selling the Wonderful Doren system Light; more brilliant than Electric Arc. Can be turned up or down at will. Write for terms to agents Acorn Brass Works, Dept. V, Chicago. nov 17 1t*

For the Next 30 Days I will sell at 10 per cent. discount, for cash, all Buggies, Carts, Drays and Wagons; also, Harness of all kinds, Whips, Robes and Collars. F. H. Hayden, Third street, opposite Court House. nov 17 1t

A Few Gentlemen can secure Board and Rooms at 109 Red Cross street. Terms reasonable. nov 17 1t*

Wanted—Services of intelligent reliable, permanent man. Office and outside work. Enclose stamp and references. A. T. Morris, P. O. Gen Delivery. nov 17 1t*

Wood—I can furnish you at the lowest market price all kinds and all lengths of well seasoned Wood. Call at my yard, No. 18 South Water street, between Market and Dock, or call up Bell 'Phone 719. Telephone orders receive prompt attention. I make a specialty of Hand-made Shingles W. W. Koch. nov 17 tf

Civil service Government Positions. 9,889 appointments made last year. Probably 10,000 this year. Only common school education required for examination. Catalogue of information free. Columbian Correspondence College, Washington, D. C. su nov 16 2t*

Notice—I have just received car of Jamaica Bananas. Also have Mountain Apples, Cabbage, Butter, Potatoes, Onions and all kinds of country produce. A. S. Winstead, 118 North Second street oct 4 tf

Choice Timothy Hay, Clover Hay, Straw, fresh ground Meal, Pearl Hominy, Flour, Grain and everything in the Feed line for horses, cows and chickens. John E. McEachern Sons, 211 market street. Telephone No. 92. jy 5 tf

Old Newspapers for sale by the hundred at the STAR Office. Excellent for underlaying carpets, or for wrapping paper. oct 9 tf

Commissioner's Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, made in the case of Susan R. Meginney and F. M. Galloway, plaintiffs against J. W. Monk, the undersigned Commissioner appointed by said decree will sell to the highest bidder for cash, on Monday, November the 25th, 1901, at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, N. C., at 12 o'clock M., the following subdivisions of land constituting one tract:

1st.—A tract beginning on the north side of the plank road leading from Wilmington to Scott's Hill at a stake on a tract of land formerly owned by J. L. Keen, at his corner on the plank road and running thence down said road S. 78 W. 219 feet to a stake by the side of said road; thence N. 5 W. 420 feet to a stake in said Keen's line; thence N. 78 E. 216 feet to a stake in said Keen's line, and thence with said line to the beginning, containing two acres.

2nd.—Another tract on the east side of Green's Mill Pond, beginning at the southwest corner of a tract of land formerly owned by John K. Currie on the north side of the plank road and running thence north 17 W. 66 poles to a stake; thence W. 79½ E. and parallel with the plank road 33½ poles; thence S. 17 E. 59½ poles to the plank road, and thence S. 77¾ W. 30½ poles, to the beginning, corner of J. K. Currie's line.

3rd.—Another tract beginning at a stake on the old Newbern road, and running thence with said road N. 87 W. 25 poles to a stake; thence S. 2¾ E. 160 poles to the plank road; thence with the plank road N. 77¾ E. 20 poles to a stake and thence to the beginning.

4th.—Another tract one and one-half miles from the City of Wilmington, between the Newbern road and the plank road, and beginning in the southern line of the Newbern road at the northwest corner of a tract of land conveyed by S. A. Currie to Thomas Monk, and running thence with Monk's line S. 5 E. 20 chains and ten links to the corner of a tract of land formerly owned by one Lamb; thence with Lamb's line S. 81 W. 4 chains and 66 links; thence with another of Lamb's lines S. 5 E. 6 chains and fifty links to the plank road; thence S. 79 W. ten chains and fifty links to a small pine, Monk's corner of a 25-acre tract purchased from T. H. Smith; thence N. 16½ W. 30 chains and 88 links, to the beginning; containing 49 1-10 acres.

5th.—Another tract beginning at the east end of the plank road bridge, as it formerly stood—high water mark—Hill W. King's line, and running thence with his line high water mark—northwardly to the end of a big ditch near where the butcher pen stood; thence westwardly and parallel with the plank road to the run or creek of the mill pond; thence southwardly with the meanderings of said Green's mill pond, run or creek to the line of the plank road bridge, as it formerly stood and thence eastwardly with said line of said bridge to the beginning, containing by estimation two acres.

6th.—And one other tract, beginning at a point on the eastern shore of Green's mill pond, and running thence N. 83 E. 6 chains to Monk's corner; thence N. 15 W. 30 chains and 66 links to the Newbern road; thence with said road to the mill pond, and thence with the meanderings of the mill pond to the beginning at the plank road bridge, containing by estimation 80 acres. Said subdivisions to be sold as one entire tract.

J. HARGROVE TAYLOR, Commissioner.

oct 28 10t

Mullets!

NEW CATCH JUST IN.

Also Fish Barrels for packing Mullets.

Salt in 200 lbs., 180 lbs. and 100 lbs. Sacks.

We also have a full line of Groceries such as

Flour, Sugar, Rice,

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and most any other thing that you can find in the grocery line. All of which we offer to the trade at living prices.

Williams Bros.

sep 26 tf

Your Last Chance

To get a ticket on our Ladies' Rocker is this week, as next Saturday, November 16th, the drawing takes place. So come at once; every 50c cash purchase entitles you to a ticket.

If you want low prices and quality come and see us. If you want low prices regardless of quality see the other fellow.

Large Evaporated Peaches 12½c, this week 10c,

California Hams, 11c, this week 10c,

New Buckwheat Flour, 5c, this week 4c.

If you want a fancy table Syrup at the price of a cheap one buy our

Honey Drips at 12½c per quart can.

H. J. BIERMAN & CO.,

Grocers. 215 Market Street.

Bell 'Phone No. 38. nov 12 tf

RAISINS! RAISINS!!

100 Boxes Calafornia Raisins just received.
25 Bags Cocoanuts.
25 Boxes Nice, Evaporated Peaches.
25 Boxes Nice Evaporated Apples.
25 Boxes Mixed Nuts.
150 Pails Mixed Candy.
150 Boxes Stick Candy.
50 Barrels Stick Candy.

And fifty-eight car loads of other goods. Get our prices.

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120, 122 and 124 North Water Street, Wilmington, N. C.

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Bargains in Porto Rico, New Orleans and Cuba Molasses. Any grades at lowest prices.

Heavy, Fancy and staple Groceries of all kinds. Write for prices or call

PETER McQUEEN, Jr.,

Staple and Fancy Groceries.

oct 1 tf No. 108 North Water St.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Mrs. S. Elizabeth Gilbert, deceased, This is to notify all persons indebted to the deceased to make immediate payment to me, and all persons to whom she was indebted will present their claims to me, properly proven, before the 21st day of October, 1902, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.

This 21st day of October, 1901.

H. M. FOARD, Administrator Mrs. S. Elizabeth Gilbert.

oct 21 6t in

We Think the Douglas SHOES

For Men, Boys and Youths the BEST ON EARTH for the money. We think the same of the

Cincinnati Duttenhofer Shoes

For Ladies and Misses from $2.00 up. We have a few pairs of the $1.50 goods left yet and any one will do well to get them. We think exactly the same as above of our

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For Ladies, Misses and Children in cheaper grades. We are paying especial attention to these lines—having the sole agency here

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Great Bargains in Department Goods Yet---Up Stairs Floors.

We earnestly solicit your patronage. Respectfully,

Mercer & Evans Co.

P. S.—Large stock of Rubber Boots and Shoe just in. nov 26 tf

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IN THE WINDOW OF THE

A. M. SUSMAN FURNITURE CO

A $75.00 Bed will be reduced 50c per day until sold.

Also we will call your special attention to our fine Dining Chairs, of which we have twenty-five different grades.

Our 15 per cent. discount lasts until November 5. Trusting you will give us a call and be convinced. Thanking you for your past favors and soliciting your future patronage, we are Yours to help,

The A. M. Susman Furniture Co.,

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A FULL STOCK OF

Cocoanuts, Mixed Nuts, Candies, Cakes, Cheese.

Fox River Butter.

Powder, Shot, Caps, &c.

Snuff, Tobacco and Cigars.

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New Goods.

Malaga Grapes, Cocoanuts, Cream of Wheat, Oranges.

Great Big Fish Roe Cheap.

Preserved Ginger, Loose Buckwheat, Prepared Buckwheat, Fresh Saratoga Chips, Fancy Red Cranberries, cleaned Currents and Raisins.
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Flower Seed and Bulbs.

New Stock; Selected Varieties.

Dutch, Roman and Italian Hyacinth Bulbs, all colors; Tulip Bulbs all colors and shapes; Chinese Sacred Lilies, extra large Bulbs; Evergreen Lawn Grass Seed. Now is the time to plant all of the above to get good results. Call at

HARDIN'S PALACE PHARMACY.

oct 23 tf 120 South Front street.

Notice of Dissolution.

The firm of Bellamy & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Bellamy retiring. The business will be continued by the remaining partners, who will collect all accounts and pay all debts of the firm.

This 1st day of November, 1901.

BELLAMY & CO.

nov 1 6t

A Special November Dry Goods Sale.

I have decided I would reduce my stock in the Dress Goods and Dry Goods line before the Holiday Season, and to do this will push them out at low price.

We have a double-fold Worsted that we sold for 12½c, now 7½c. A 36-inch 25c Worsted we will now sell for 12½c. A 40-inch fancy we sold for 35c we will now sell for 18c. We have 100 yards Worsted that we sold for 25c we will sell now for 14c. F. F. Black Cashmeres, regular 35c goods, we will sell for 25c; single F. Cashmeres, regular 25c goods, we will sell for 20c.

A good all-Wool Tricot at 25c per yard. The best quality of French Flannels at 45c per yard. Embroidered French Flannel at 57c per yard, worth 90c.

The best quality Venetian Cloths 36 inches wide at 48c.

Five pieces very handsome Black Crepon that sold for $2 per yard we will now sell for $1.19 per yard.

Three pieces Silk and Wool Crepon, $1.25 goods, now 69c.

Beautiful Broadcloths, regular $1.25 goods, my price 98c.

A splendid all-Wool Serge 48-inch wide at 50c per yard.

Two pieces very handsome herring bone Serge 54-inch wide, all Wool, for 63c per yard.

One piece all Wool rainy day Skirt goods 54 inches wide, Plaid backs, at 57c.

Two hundred and fifty yards best wash Taffettas, all shades, regular 85c quality, now 69c.

Yard wide Black Taffetta Silk, not $1.25 but 89c.

Two hundred yards Changeable Silk, not 35c, but 18c per yard.

Strictly all Silk Black Duchess Satin, not 75c, but 57c per yard.

Twenty-seven inch Black Duchess Satin, all Silk, regular $1.00 Goods, for 75c. The $1.25 quality for $1.00.

Fifty yards in Remnant Dress Goods in 1, 2 and 3 yard pieces to close out at half price; all qualities represented.

Domestic Goods Sale—One-yard wide Sheeting for 3½c a yard. The very best Sea Island Sheeting at 5c per yard. Heavy AAA Sheeting at 6c per yard.

The best P. D. Plaids at 4½c per yard. Yard-wide Bleaching at 5c per yard. Good Fruit of the Loom Bleaching at 8½c per yard. 8c Liberty Flannel for 5½c; 7c Navajo Flannels for Waists for 5c per yard; 8c Peperelll Drill for 6c a yard.

Lonsdale Cambric for 11c per yard. Bear Mills Cambric at 10c. Best Kid Cambric at 5c per yard, and many, many other things in the Dry Goods line to sacrifice in price.

A special Kid Glove sale for this week. Eighty-four pair Ladies' very fine Kid Gloves in Tan, Black, Cream and Gray and other colors, regular $1.00 and $1.25 goods, for 69c a pair; 84 pair very fine Gloves in Black and Tan only; regular price $1.00, my price 75c. Our Standard Three-Star Button Gloves, every pair warranted and guaranteed by factory, that others sell for $1.25, we will sell for $1.00 a pair.

One hundred pair Ladies' Gloves to close out a job—slightly damaged—sold for $1.25 and $1.00, now 39c; no Gloves taken back.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Wool and Cashmere Gloves from 10c to 25c a pair.

Men's Gloves—all kinds. Kid Gloves, guaranteed, at $1.00; Driving Gloves at 50c. The best Wool Gloves for 25c a pair.

Remember, we sell Shoes, every kind, from Baby's Shoes at 50c and up. New Shoes received every day. Our $1.50 Shoes are guaranteed to be equal to anybody's Shoe at $2.00. A full stock of Boys' Shoes.

Remember, our stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing—a special sale in this department this week—good Boys' Suits at 69c and up.

We are agents for McCall's Patterns, at 10c and 15c. We give away presents with cash purchases.

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208 AND 210 NORTH FRONT STREET,

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nov 16 tf

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We can also suit you on the Wood question. Send your orders to the old stand.

J. A. Springer & Co.

nov 16 tf The Veteran Dealers.

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KEEP WARM.

Every day last week our three stores were thronged with prudent buyers taking advantage of the many bargains offered in Winter Goods.

THIS WEEK'S DRAWING CARD.

Single Blankets worth 50c for 25c. Extra heavy 11-4 Cotton Blankets (double) for 98c.
10-4 North Carolina Wool Blankets for $4.98. 11-4 extra heavy all Wool Blanket for $4.98, sold elsewhere at $6.50 and $7.00.
Men's $1.00 natural Wool Undershirts 69c. Men's extra heavy Wool Fleeced Undershirts 98c, one of our greatest sellers.
Ladies' extra heavy White and Grey Vests for 21c. Extra values in Ladies' Vests at 48c, 75c and 98c. Pants to match.
Children's Vests 10c up to 75c, all sizes. $18.00 Men's Tan Overcoats, we'll made, for a few days only $5.00; 52 inch Broadcloth $1.00. Colors—Castor, Moss, Green, Roman Red, Pearl Grey and Black.
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